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A Personal Word

Tracing ancestry back through history to our many progenitors has become a business for some and a hobby for others. As a business it is remunerative for those who have access to large genealogical libraries. Success in such research depends somewhat upon the public prominence of the family, altho cemeteries, wills, registers of land transfers and other public records and church registers of births, membership, marriages and deaths provide scattered sources of information even of less prominent persons. As a hobby it is a fascinating and mentally profitable activity, taking one into the complexity and the very substance of social history and helping us understand and appreciate the past.

Tracing the descendants of a single pair of progenitors, in contrast to tracing our ancestors, acquaints us with the living branches of a tree, living contemporaries, who are now contributing to the progress and the stability of society. In the course of time such a record becomes the source of information for others tracing their ancestry.

It is well-nigh impossible for some of us whose parents are of common stock and from foreign lands and where graves and grave markers are temporary and removed after a period of years to make room for others, to go very far back in a family line except through unwritten traditions handed down by word of mouth.

The names of many uncles, aunts, cousins and other relatives whom I had never seen but of whom my parents and older brothers and sisters often spoke in my presence were to me, for many years, names only and not persons. These names endured in an impressionable memory and often popped into mind and longed to be clothed with flesh and blood. At my father's funeral and again when my mother was laid to rest I met many relatives I did not know I had and whom I could not place in their proper family connection.

On retiring from teaching, after a life of association with hundreds of college students, the desire to become acquainted with my kinfolks again asserted itself and I began to gather information about the descendants of my grandparents on both sides. The task of getting all the information I wanted - dates, places, marriages, names of in-laws and children - to the "third and fourth generation" and beyond and of fixing the relationship of each to all the others was a formidable one for my maternal grandfather had 22 children by two wives and my paternal grandfather had 13 children. This interest and effort are not expressions of pride, I hope, but of sociability, a quality which was a marked trait of my father who, when he met friends and even strangers on the road, often stopped his team to visit.

For some years I had jotted down names, parentage, marriages, etc. as these came to my attention casually - a chaotic collection! In 1946, through the patient and willing cooperation of many interested cousins in several degrees of proximity, I compiled and put into tentative mimeograph form a "Vandervelde" genealogy in the hope that later it might be printed and include pictures of individuals and family groups.

In 1948, the centennial of the arrival in America of my de Swarte grandparents, I compiled and published, with pictures of uncles and aunts and family groups "PIETER BARTHOLOMEUS de SWARTE DESCENDANTS". In 1954 I attempted to do the same for a Centennial Edition of the Vandervelde family arrival in America. There was not however sufficient financial assurance in advance subscriptions for copies to warrant the venture.

Additions to this family line and requests for copies of the 1946 edition long since exhausted suggest the advisability of bringing the family record up to date.

What to include and what to exclude from such a compilation is a problem. Many personal facts about some relatives such as their occupation, their contribution to society, eminence in church and state might be included but this would be a partial record since the service of many relatives has not been brought to my attention.

External facts, mere statistics of dates, places, names, marriages, and in-laws may seem to some of little or no value. Others find even in these cold facts historical significance and social meaning. When copies of the two compilations to which I have referred were sent to Mrs. Alice Bright Parker, chairman of Wisconsin Families Section for exhibit at the Wisconsin Centennial 1948 she recognized this value in the letter she wrote:

> "This, I think, is one of the very best . . I believe that we have gathered a very fine start for a study of the families which came directly from the Netherlands to Wisconsin. We have quite a number of small family histories, none comparable to yours. . I am going to suggest to the history department of the University that Doctors' and Masters' theses could very well be based on this material."

Some have asked, "what is the value of all this?" To this we reply with other questions: "what is 'value' in life? "what is life for, to accumulate a million dollars we can never spend and which may be the source of worry and tension even to the point of insanity while we are acquiring it?" "Is the chief end of man playing solitaire in which no one wins or loses or bridge in which all parties lose, if not money, then tempers, patience and sometimes reputations through gossip, or watching T.V.?" I indulge in none of these.

I don't play golf or solitaire;
To paint the house I do not dare
With climbing ladders. Doc says,"NO"
"You're eighty now, and that don' t go!"
We've no T V, nor do we crave
To hear and see man misbehave
On screen or otherwise in life.
Our world today is sick with strife.
And so, instead, my mind you see,
Is climbing up the family tree.
And how delightful that has been -
To hobnob with one's kith and kin
By pen and postage stamp in lieu
Of person'ly seeing each of you,
Among the branches spreading wide
Throughout the world - the human tide!

In this study of my ancestors and contemporaries and in contacts with relatives who have incidentally related many traditions in their own families I have found much of historical and sociological value. I have been impressed by the sacrifices they have made, the suffering they have endured, and the price which they have paid for progress. I have been inspired by their religious heroism and devotion. In this is satisfaction to me. Is not this a value in life?

Unfortunately this compilation is incomplete. I have been unable to secure information from some branches of the family because of their lack of interest in this enterprise. There are some errors of transcription and typing for which I assume responsibility. Believe it or not, brothers and sisters, uncles and aunts, do not always agree on dates of birth, marriage or death of their parents. Verification of some dates has been made by examining government records; but we have had neither the time nor finances to do more than we have. Where official records have been consulted for verification the volume and page have been indicated in this record which will enable others interested in research to consult newspapers of proper date.

A word of explanation should be made about the spelling of the family name. "What's in a name?" may well be asked by one who attempts to trace a Dutch family line through two centuries in two countries. Names passed on from one person or generation to another by word of mouth, when the name is infrequently written, may be carelessly pronounced or indistinctly heard. This will account for the variation in spelling in the U.S. Census report. A name which is difficult to pronounce or to spell may undergo fundamental changes even where the name is used in its original environment. The easy wrong pronunciation or spelling may replace the more difficult pronunciation or spelling.

A name sometimes represents an occupation. In our community was a wooden-shoe maker. His name was "Klumpenhauer" (spelling uncertain). He probably was following the family trade. Sometimes a name is derived from the location in which the family lived as Vandenberg, Van Dyke, Vanderbilt. The name "van der (or de) Velde", which is probably the original spelling, means "of or from the field", a farmer. This name has been Americanized in the United States as have other names of similar construction, e.g. Vandenberg and Vanderbilt. So far as is known van der Velde has never been changed to "Field. In the process of Americanization the name has assumed several different forms. The preposition and the article have both been capitalized, or the preposition only, in addition to the noun, has been capitalized. The preposition has been capitalized and attached to the article. All three parts of the word have been joined and the first letter only capitalized. The preposition and the article have been dropped and the noun made the full name. In Dutch papers it was customary to write the initials of the preposition and article, v.d. This yielded the following variations: van der Velde, Van der (de) Velde, Van Der Velde, Vander Velde and Velde. In this compilation we have used the form each person used to identify himself as far as this was known, or made a guess!

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Explanation of the method I have used to identify and relate individuals and generations by numbers. The usual methods of identification seemed unsuited to my purpose. So far as I know the method I devised has never been used. The first generation is numbered 11 to 19 and in chronological order of birth except for 11 (Jacob) whose date of birth is not known. Four children whose names and date of birth are not known and who died, probably in infancy, are not listed or numbered. The second generation is assigned numbers in the 100s, the third generation in the 1000s, etc. Instead of numbering the sixth generation 1,000,000 I used ii, i.e. ii 1, ii 2, etc. to save space. Consideration was given to the assignment of numbers serially in the order of birth beyond the second generation; but because the date of birth of many of these was not known in time the idea was dropped. The numbers in the 3rd and succeeding generations are assigned serially down the pages from the first grandchild of number 12 to the last grandchild of 18, i.e. from 101 to 146 & the greatgrandchild of number 12 to the great grandchild of 18 from 1001 up. This necessitates revising numbering in the 1960 edition in all generations beyond the second. As a result, in referring to individuals of the 3rd generation and beyond, both the number and the edition must be given.

If any additions are reported after the stencil is cut but before the book is mailed such additions will be placed in an appendix since no changes can be made in a stencil after it is cut.

Finally, in this personal word, let me express my deep appreciation to the many relatives who have secured for me, often at their great inconvenience, all this detailed information. Were I to name more than one there would be no place to stop. The one to whom I am indebted for much of the personal information about our grandparents, uncles and aunts is number 146, George Tillema. His interest in history and especially in family history led him to ask his mother many questions about many details of the experiences of the family in Holland and in their early struggles in America. His mother was also aware of the importance of passing on to future generations some knowledge of "the rock from which we have been hewn", for the common everyday experiences and the hidden aspirations of common folk are the very substance of history and of progress toward the purposes and the kingdom of God.

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Note: We earnestly request that all who belong to this family line report additions to families by marriage and births, giving names, dates and places. Deaths also should be reported.

March, 1960.

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HISTORICAL, POLITICAL, ECONOMIC, SOCIAL AND RELIGIOUS BACKGROUND

There are many good histories of the people of the Netherlands, of their economic hardships, of their political dependence and oppression, and of their religious persecution, both before and about the time of the "Great Migration" about 1840 to 1855. These accounts are so well written and authenticated by reference to original sources, that it would seem unnecessary to include these facts in this introduction. However, there are probably some families interested in this genealogy who do not have access to these histories, and there may be others who would like a briefer statement of the general circumstances surrounding the emigration of the Saape van der Velde family.

The Saape van der Velde family shared the hopes, experienced the disappointments and underwent the hardships which belonged to the emigrants of those days. A general description of these experiences will therefore, in the absence of specific authenticated traditions of the family both before and during the emigration, suggest the atmosphere under which our brave, pious and foresighted ancestors secured for us a birth and a heritage in a free land, the United States of America.

Impelled by poverty and hunger, by restlessness, curiosity and adventure, by an urge to conquest, power and possessions, by the desire for liberty, equality and fraternity in the face of persecution, oppression and slavery, or finally by religious motives, from the beginnings of the history of mankind, whole tribes as well as individuals have moved from one geographical area to another.

Most of us are familiar with the migration of Abraham from Ur of the Chaldees to Haran and to Canaan, of Jacob from Canaan to Egypt, of the Israelites from Egypt to the promised land. At an early date the Hittites and the Philistines, frequently mentioned in the Bible, came down from the north across Asia Minor and the Aegean Sea into Palestine. Fifteen centuries later the Goths and Slavic tribes pushed down from the north and east to overthrow the old Roman Empire and to people northern Europe.

After the discovery of America individuals, private religious groups and officially sanctioned or sponsored commercial and national organizations left Europe for America motivated by the desire for adventure, by visions of great wealth, by national pride and hope of extension of domains and power as well as by the desire for religious freedom.

The Dutch, always a sea-faring and trading people, sailed the seven seas and traded in many lands. In the course of time they established a colony in New Amsterdam, now New York. Altho they lost their territory to the English, perhaps because of their failure to populate this colony they left their mark upon the industry, the literature and the religious tone of America. Their names still survive in this region. As compared with other nationals there were not many Holland emigrants even during the "Great Migration". From 1846 to 1850 it is estimated there were very few more than 12,000 Dutch who migrated to America. During the same period there were 450,000 Germans and nearly a million Irish who came to

America. As compared with the normal annual increase in the population of Holland the emigrants were fewer "than one-tenth of the yearly increase". This was about 1,500 to 2,000 over a period of 10 years. The majority of the emigrants were people of small means, "minder goede", the upper low-income group. Some of the very poor who were not able to pay transportation costs were helped by those who could. Sometimes the debtors so assisted placed themselves under contract to work for a certain length of time without pay or until such transportation advances were covered.

The motives for emigration of the van der Velde family as well as of other families and national groups were multiple as we have stated. One motive dominated one group, and another motive another group. The longing for freedom and participation in government awakened by the revolutions in France, in America and elsewhere possessed the politically and socially oppressed and the opportunity-less lower class. America in the 1840s was for Europeans "the land of freedom and opportunity". The Netherlands the "land van slavernij en dwingelandy".

The poverty of the peasant class was terrible in all countries. In the Netherlands, under the alliance of the house of Orange and the upper classes, the principle of the separation of church and state which had given democratic freedom and self-determination to the common people in matters ecclesiastical and theological was abandoned or withdrawn. The Hervormde (Re-organized) Church replaced in 1816 the Gereformerde (Reformed) Church. The Hervormde Church was the established church, financed and administered by the state. It was aristocratic, liberal, rationalistic and heretical in its theology, according to some, non-evangelical in its forms and influence. Against the free, pious, Calvinistic spirits among the lower and middle classes who seceded in 1834 and sought to worship in independent organizations, the government invoked Articles 291 and 294 of the Napoleonic code which decreed: "No association of more than twenty persons whose object is to meet daily, or on special days appointed for the observance of religious, political, or other purposes, shall organize themselves without the consent of government. . . Any person who without the consent of the municipal authority shall grant or consent to the use of his house . . for the meeting of members of an association . for the celebration of a cult, shall be punished by a fine of from sixteen to one hundred francs."

These and other conditions, violating the rights of "liberty, equality and fraternity" over many years, made effective the glowing reports in letters to Holland relatives of a few adventurers who had gone to America in the 1830s and later. One such letter written in 1846 may be regarded as typical of the enthusiasm of those who had made the fearsome journey and is quoted here because it describes so well conditions both in the homeland and in America.

"Nearly all people eat meat three times a day; . And everybody is kind, and helps us out with everything; what we do not have, they lend us; chairs to sit on they brought to our room until we . . had bought six others for 3 dollars, and a bedstead for a quarter less than 2 dollars; for here are no enclosed bunks or bedsteads, as in our country, but open couches; I guess this is on account of the heat; and they sleep with a featherbed underneath and a straw ticking on top; but quite correct and nice; Arnhem cant compare with it. One sees no poor

here, no beggars, nor any collections or poor boxes, not even in the churches which my husband visited . . Schools are free here - - there are no taxes . . pubs for drunks, such as in Armhem, one does not find here... One sees great luxury, magnificent buildings, doors have silver knobs, houses of five stories high, beautiful churches . . The finery is great, one cannot discern any difference between a cobbler's wife and the wife of a prominent gentleman; most people go bareheaded; I hope to remain an exception to this custom of theirs, even tho I attract everybody's attention. . The arts and sciences are flourishing; my husband says that he has experienced a good deal, but never saw people work as they do here: entire houses, even four stories high, are here moved several blocks with a machine to which sometimes as many as 16 horses are hitched; foundations are loosened and then are moved in their entirety, not only frame buildings, but also brick; my husband saw this himself . . Washings hang out on the line all night, nobody steals here; there is no need for this; no sentries in front of the houses; no night watchmen; gatebells need not ring; here are no gates; for one does not see any custom officers, no cops, only a few policemen, who look more like gentlemen, but their hat is marked in front with the word: Police. There are soldiers here, but not many; handsomely dressed; volunteers, some married; they serve three days a week to keep their guns clean and to give band concerts in the city, I never heard more beautiful music ; . Evenings everything is quiet; stores close at 9 o'clock, but open again at daybreak."

At least three organized colonies, two Protestant and one Catholic, left the Netherlands and arrived in America in the period 1846 to 1848. The Western Michigan settlement around Holland, Michigan, under Dominie Albertus C. Van Raalte and numbering "450 souls" sailed from the Netherlands in April 1847 and arrived in New York and Michigan in June and July. The Pella, Iowa, Colony with eight or nine hundred persons under Domonie Henry P. Scholte arrived in Baltimore a little later and settled on a 12,000 (some say 18,000) acre tract purchased for the colony. This story is beautifully and dramatically told by Louis Adamic in his book, "From Many Lands". A Roman Catholic Colony settled in the neighborhood of Green Bay, Wisconsin, in 1848.

Emigration in colonies with a religious organization seemed the safer and more desirable plan. However many migrated as individuals or as families or family groups with a loose and temporary organization. This latter type was probably the one in which the van der Velde contingent of ten came over, one having preceded the other and four others having died in Holland.

The cost of transportation from Rotterdam to New York averaged about 35 guilders ("40.2 cents", Webster, per gulden) for each passenger according to Wabeke. Food was ordinarily provided by each family or family group. This amounted to about 20 guilders additional. All cooking was done in a public kitchen on the deck and in the open air. When families pooled their food for the journey the members of the group took turns preparing the meals. In stormy weather hot meals could not be served, and no doubt, many did not care for food at such times, for seasickness was common.

Passengers were expected to share in the routine scrubbing of the deck and in the care of their own quarters. As might be expected of the Dutch this ritual was performed to perfection. The ships were usually dirty when the Hollanders went aboard, but long before they reached Baltimore or other American ports, they were as clean as the proverbial Dutch kitchen. The health officers were so impressed with the cleanliness of the ships that the immigrants were allowed to land without the usual inspections. A reporter for the Baltimore Sun who visited one of the ships which brought the Scholte party to America wrote, "we have seen many emigrant ships, but we never saw one more cleanly in its appearance than this, and have never seen in any ship so fine a body of emigrants." These groups were select groups in purpose, in religious ideals and in determination. Religious services were held daily on shipboard.

Crossing the Atlantic in the vessels used at that time was not undertaken without fear. It has been estimated that one out of every hundred sailings ended in shipwreck, and one out of every shipwrecks involved the loss of the crew and passengers. The news of the Phoenix fire disaster which occurred on November 21, 1847, five miles off the harbor of Sheboygan, Wisconsin, and which brought terrible death to over one hundred of the one hundred and fifty Dutch immigrants aboard, was naturally reported in the Dutch papers in the homeland. This reduced the flow of immigrants but for only a short time. In the face of such disasters it required all the faith in God these pious Dutch possessed to begin such a voyage. Their daily prayer for safety and their hourly intercession at times in the midst of storms which tossed their ship, sustained them as they "took (the) step in God' s strength."

Seasickness was common, and disease and death from this and other causes overtook some on the voyage. Of the Scholte party "two aged persons and eighteen children died during the voyage". It is estimated that in sailings from the European ports 2% to 3% died. John Hospers sailing from Rotterdam in 1849 kept a diary in which he describes a funeral at sea. "At seven o'clock the passengers come out on deck; the first mate fastens the child's body (wrapped and sewed in canvas) to a canvas sack filled with stones and places the corpse on a board, which lies with one end resting on a cask and the other extending overboard. The captain stands at one end near the cask, reads solemnly in high German, and then commands the seamen who stand on opposite sides of the board to let the corpse slide into the water. All stand with uncovered heads. At the captain' s word Maasdam announces the singing of Psalm 103:8 and 9. The solemnity is impressive."

On arriving in New York or other American ports the unwary immigrants were in danger of being fleeced of their money by individuals or groups, both American and Dutch, who tried to take advantage of their ignorance of customs, costs, and money exchange. Most of the immigrants were warned in advance, and societies organized for the protection and guidance of the Hollanders were formed by those of Dutch ancestry who had been in this country longer or were born here.

The Saape van der Velde Family Emigration

Against this general background of the times and economic, political and religious circumstances, our picture of the Saape van der Velde family emigration will be clearer.

Saape van der Velde was born in 1802 in Blyja, near Leeuwarden, county seat of the province of Friesland, Netherlands. His wife, Wopkje Dykstra (sometimes spelled Dykestra and sometimes pronounced "Deekstra") was born in 1805. The month and day of birth of neither is known. The year of birth of each is well established by the 1860 census report,(see the Appendix), and by the obituary published in "De Bazuin", September 12, 1868, which,with a translation into English, concludes this account.

Saape's father and mother were Harten and Wopkje whose surname is not known. Saape's son, Martin, father of the writer of this account, stated in 1910 that his father had four brothers and one sister. The names he recalled were, Harten, Jarka or Youka and Janika. The names of the others and the order of birth he did not know. Children of these sons and daughters were Sipke, Tjisse, Klaas and Onna. All that is known of Wopkje's family is that she had one brother, Jacob, and some sisters. Presumably the parents were buried in or near Blyja where they lived. It is improbable that there are now visible monuments or markers even if they had been erected. This can be understood from the custom which George Tillema(146) described in a letter written to the author in 1938. He wrote, "To investigate ancestors who never left Friesland, Netherlands, would be too expensive and not very likely to produce results because in those days very little if any record was kept. Birth and death records were kept by the church and many were destroyed or lost or hidden, and . (for the dead) . a grave was leased for 7 to 20 years according to the wealth of the individual. At the expiration of the lease another used the lot. What was left of the former occupant was dumped into the corner of the cemetery, where the children of the neighborhood would play with skulls and knuckle-bones (as children in America play jackstones!), My mother (18) has related many times to me the fun she and her sister had playing with the knuckle-bones for jacks on the remains of a coffin cover or on the head stones which were laid flat on the graves." It may be noted here that inquiry of more recent immigrants to Friesland, Wisconsin, reveals that at the present time "the shortage of room for burial in heavily settled districts is becoming a problem."

Saape and Wopkje lived "on", i.e. beside a canal, a fact indicated by a story one of their daughters, Sarah (18) related to her son George, (146). One day Sarah was missed from the home. The mother looked out the back door, which opened on the canal, and saw her daughter's wooden shoes floating on the canal. The mother jumped in and pulled her daughter out. How deep the canal was at that point and how long the daughter had been missing was not stated, but the story was told often with this observation, "if I hadn't been saved from the canal I would not have been your mother!" Present day maps show there is a canal crossing at Leeuwarden and extending across a broad projection to connect the north shore of Friesland to the east shore.

Saape was a fisherman and owner of a small boat of which he was captain. He was a worldly man and drank and caroused with the sailors and fishermen. His kind and generous heart may have been in part responsible for his habits among his companions in this occupation. His wife, Wopkje, was very pious and deeply concerned over the habits of her husband and especially his unsaved soul. She did all she could to save her husband. On one occasion when she had induced him to attend church with her he came under conviction of sin and aware of his lost condition. On the way home from church he left the path and went into the woods to be alone. Then and there he gave his heart to the Lord. He prayed that he might be spared to serve the Lord as long as he had served the devil. He received assurance that his request would be granted. He told his wife about his wonderful conversion and of his resolution to sell the ship. When his wife objected because this was the source of their living he said he could not continue to live among his former shipmates and fisher companions and remain true to his Lord. He sold his ship and probably went into farming as the stories about the family's subsistence on potatoes, turnips and beans would suggest. Toward the end of his life, when he had completed the years he had asked the Lord to allot him to compensate for his years of serving the devil, his wife reminded him of this request. He replied, "the Lord always fills the cup to overflowing."*

The motives which prompted this family to emigrate were not unlike those of others who left their native Holland for America in mid-19th century. Since the religious restrictions had been somewhat relieved by 1853 the religious motive was not as important as others, though the memory of past religious oppression still rankled, and their desire to worship God in spirit and not in mere form continued strong. Poverty, life-long tenantry perhaps and unrewarding labor faced the parents and their children in Friesland. A providential inheritance provided money for transportation. Saape fell heir to money left him by a distant relative who, when he was about to die, called in a lawyer to execute a will, but the dying man was too far gone to execute a will and the property was distributed according to the law.

During the year preceding the family departure from Holland, and perhaps in anticipation of the use of the inheritance for emigration, Klaas van der Velde, the oldest son, preceded the others to escape compulsory military training at 21. He made the crossing with Heindert and Tuenis Tillema and with Martin Tellier, according to one source. Klaas and Tuenis and Heindert Tillema wrote glowing letters back to their parents telling them of the glories of America. "The funny thing about these letters", wrote George Tillema, "was that the folks back home could neither read nor write. Heint was a fine writer but not much on ideas while Klaas had ideas but could not write. Thus between the two they managed to send some wonderful letters of praise of America and of condemnation of the old country. As the old folks could not read they took the letters to the landlord to be read and there were some things that were embarrassing to both." They wrote (according to one source and translated) "Rich America! The fat pigs run around with a big knife in their backs!" (presumably available for slices of bacon).

* The information in this paragraph supplied by John Van der Velde (127).

The family left Holland in the early spring of 1853 in a sail boat. They were on the water seven or eight weeks - accounts vary. There is no record, to the knowledge of the writer, of the names of other families in the same party. The children in the family were: Marten,age 20; Wopkje, age 18; Charles, age 15; Onna, age 14; Mary or Youka, age 12; Sarah, age 10; Kate, age 6; and Jacob whose age is not known but who was probably born before 1838 since he died "at the age of 21" and he is not mentioned in the 1860 census.(See Appendix).

On reaching New York the family went at once to Lancaster, New York, which was about 15 miles east of Buffalo. This town contained a Frisian settlement where some newcomers to America stopped for a time to learn the language and the customs of America. The van der Velde family stayed here for 11 or 12 months before proceeding to Town Eight, Milwaukee,Wisconsin, in May or June 1854. With the little money Saape had left from his inheritance, after he had paid for passage for his whole family, and with some savings he had, he bought a 40 acre tract in Town Eight, placing a mortgage on it for the unpaid portion. Tjisse Tillema states in a letter to the writer that Marten (130 and Nick (12) paid off the mortgage with the money they earned working in the saw mills and logging camps of Michigan and in the harvest fields south and southwest of Milwaukee. After the farm was bought "they (i.e. Nick and Marten) built a long house on it for the old folks,"probably before 1858 when Nick was married. "Later", wrote Tjisse, "they (Marten and Nick) got 20 acres as their pay back". In a conversation with the writer in 1910 Marten stated he "planned to trade household goods with Nick but the death of Nick's wife changed these plans", and he (Marten) went to Town Eight from Alto (Fond du Lac Co.) and with Nick purchased ½ of father's forty acre farm".

Here Saape and Wopkje lived until their death in 1868. This was home for them and was also "home" for four sons and four daughters after they married and scattered. Their fourteen years in America were years of enjoyment, of hard work, of comfort, of comparative prosperity and of happy association in the religious life of the church and community in a land of opportunity and of political, economic and religious freedom. They watched their sons and daughters prosper and a new generation appear. While they may have longed to return to their native land for a visit they did not care to return to live, for as one son said, "they had eaten too many beans, turnips and potatoes without variety" to care to repeat that life. One daughter "never liked turnips and rutabagas and never ate them in America" because of an aversion established in Holland.

OBITUARY

It has pleased the Lord of the living and the dead to take from us by death our dearly beloved parents,at almost the same time according to their desire. Our Mother, Wopkje van der Velde, died September 1,1868 at the age of 63 years; and our Father,S.van der Velde,fell asleep September 11,1868, at the age of 66. They were both born in the Province of Friesland,Neth. How coincidental this loss to us,their children! May we not however take comfort in the thought that they both loved and served the Lord Jesus and belonged to Him? They looked forward with ardent longing,if it might be possible,to enter together into the rest which remains for God's people.

In the name of the Children and Relatives. MARTEN VAN DER VELDE.

Bethlehem,Wis. September 12,1868.("The Trumpet" takes pleasure in receiving this report) A translation from the Dutch. See the Appendix.

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Saape van der Velde b - -1802* in Blyja,Prov.Friesland,The Netherlands.
d 9-11-1868* in Bethlehem,Wisconsin.
m - - in Blyja,Friesland. WOPKJE DYKSTRA b - -1805* in Fervert,Neth.
d 9- 1-1868* in Bethlehem,Wis.
* See obituary page xi.

children:

11 Jacob b - - in Blyja,Friesland,Neth. probably before 1838;
d - - in Fox Point,Wis."at the age of 21". See Appendix B.

12 Klaas Van Der Velde b 5- 7-1831 in Blyja,Netherlands.
d 2-20-1914 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 1-12-1858 in Milwaukee,Wis. ANTJE VAN VLIET b - -1829 in Netherlands.
(See Milw.Co.Marriage Records d - -1862* in Randolph Cent.
C:268 * See Appendix C.

children:

101 Wopkje Van Der Velde b - -1859* in Randolph Center,Kansas.
d 10- 8-1871 in Holland,Neb."at the age of 12".
102 Infant(Appendix C) *See Appendix D. and Appendix A.

12 Klaas Van Der Velde
m2nd 6-3-1865 in Milwaukee,Co. JOHANNA PIETERS b - - in Aarnink,Neth.
d - - in Randolph Center,Wis.

children:

103 Samuel Van Der Velde b 5-17-1866 in Randolph Center,Wisconsin;
d 11-28-1932 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 3-25-1890 in Luctor,Kan. HATTIE GRIEVING b 3-24-1868 in Netherlands;
d 5- -1898 in Prairie View.

children:

1001 Dora Jane Van Der Velde b 1-21-1891; d 4-4-1891 in Prairie View.
1002 Dora Jane Van Der Velde b 10-10-1892 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 1-2-1914 in Prairie City,Iowa.EVERETT VAN ENGEN b 9-26-1888 in Lincoln,Neb.

children:

10001 Lela Gertrude Van Engen b 1-30-1915 in Prairie City,Iowa.
m 7-25-1944 in Boston,Mass.GARDNER MAURICE NADEN b 4-6-1915 in Osage,Ia.

children:

100,001 Dorothy Ann Naden b 6-5-1946 in Iowa City,Iowa.
100,002 Nancy Ruth Naden b 7-1-1949 in Webster City,Iowa.
100,003 Mary Lynn Naden b 5-2-1952 in Webster City,Iowa.
100,004 Beth Gardner Naden b 4-7-1954 in Webster City,Iowa.

10002 Dorothy Avis Van Engen b 5-30-1917 in Kellogg,Iowa.
10003 Phyllis Alberta Van Engen b 5-10-1920 in Webster City,Iowa.
10004 Gale Sterling Van Engen b 6- 2-1922; d 6-24-1934 in Webster City
10005 Frances Irene Van Engen b 10-24-1925 in Webster City,Iowa.
m 6-23-1951 in Panama City,Fla. DONALD RAYMOND HUNTOON b 7-26-1923 Cheyenne,Wyo.

children:

100,005 Lawrence Ray Huntoon b 7-25-1952 in Tacoma,Washington.
100,006 Sherly Ray Huntoon b 7-18-1956 in Des Moines,Iowa.
100,007 David Russell Huntoon b 10- 1-1957 in Des Moines,Iowa.

10006 Everett Junior Van Engen b 8-21-1934 in Webster City,Iowa.
10007 Shirley June Van Engen b 6-20-1937 in Webster City,Iowa.

1003 Klaas Van Der Velde b 2-24-1896 in Prairie View; d 5-9-1956 in Norton,K.
m 12-21-1920 in Phillipsburg,SENA MULDER b 2-12-1894 in Phillipsburg,Kan.
children: none.

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103 Samuel Van Der Velde
m2nd 10-6-1899 in Prairie View ANNA KIPP b 4-13-1875 in Holland,Neb.
children: d 5- 7-1952 in
1004 Elizabeth Van Der Velde b 8-3-1902 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 2-8-1926 in Prairie View FRED STUTTERHEIM b 12-31-1903 in Prairie View
children:
10008 Myron Roy Stutterheim b 5-12-1927 in Logan,Kansas.
m 6-2-1950 in Prairie View NORMA JEAN SCHAKELAAR b 10-22-1930 in Prairie (View
children:
100,008 Ronald Ray Stutterheim b 12-12-1952 in Norton,Kansas.
100,009 Lee Alan Stutterheim b 5- 3-1954 in Norton,Kansas.
100,010 Janet Beth Stutterheim b 4-22-1955 in Norton,Kansas.
100,011 Daryl Dee Stutterheim b 9- 8-1956 in Norton,Kansas.

10009 Lois Marie Stutterheim 8-2-1933 in Logan,Kansas;
m 4-23-1954 in Prairie View NORMAN LEE KELLERMAN b 9-17-1932 in Stuttgart Kansas;
children:
100,012 Lonnie Lynn Kellerman b 11-27-1955 in Phillipsburg,Kansas.
100,013 Tamra Ann Kellerman b 11-15-1957 in Phillipsburg,Kansas.

10010 Robert Eugene Stutterheim b 10-2-1936 in Logan,Kansas.
m 8-10-1958 in Oakley,Kan. BEVERLY JANE POWERS b 7-2-1938 in Hays,Kansas.
children:

1005 Minnie Van Der Velde b 12-26-1905 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 2-21-1927 in Phillipsburg FRANK NEWTH b 1-9-1902 in Colebrooke,Conn.
children: none.

104 Mary Van Der Velde b - - * in Holland,Nebraska.(See Appendix D)
105 Johanna Van Der Velde b - - * in Holland,Nebraska.(See Appendix D)
* d 10-8-1871 in a prairie fire.

12 Klaas Van Der Velde
m2nd 9-28-1869 in Holland,Neb. DORA TE LINDERT b 3-17-1832 in Aalten,Neth.
children: d 1- 4-1907 in Prairie View.
106 Anna Van Der Velde b 3-26-1871 in Holland,Neb.d 9-25-1956 in Phillipsburg.
m 4-6-1900 in Prairie View,Kan.G.HENRY RAMAKER b 5-26-1870 in Germany
children: d 11-11-1931 in Prairie View.
1006 Dora G.Ramaker b 6-11-1901 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 3-10-1926 in Prairie View TONE BRANDS b 4-4-1889 in Maxwell City,N.M.
children: none.

1007 Fanny F. Ramaker b 3-21-1903 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 2-13-1930 in Prairie View. HENRY G. STUTTERHEIM b 7-4-1901 in Prairie View.
children:
10011 Karl Ray Stutterheim b 9-16-1937 in Norton,Kansas
m 6-7-1959 in Wichita,Kan. CONNIE LIANNE BENJAMIN b 11-11-1937 in St.Joseph,Mo.

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13 Marten Van Der Velde b 5-20-1833 in Blyja,Friesland,The Netherlands.
d 3-15-1915 in Brandon,Wisconsin.
m 3-26-1861 in Milwaukee Co.,Wis.ADRIANA DE SWARTE b 9- 7-1839 in Zeelaand,Neth.
d 5-10-1928 in Waupun,Wis.
children:

107 Samuel Vandervelde b 1-14-1862 in Alto,Wis.d 6-1-1943 in Waupun,Wis.
m 12-20-1890 in Alto,Wis. HANNAH BRUINS b 9-27-1867 in Alto,Wis.
d 2- 9-1943 in Waupun,Wis.
children:

1008 Infant b 11-11-1891; d 12-19-1891 in Brandon,Wisconsin.
1009 Ruby Mae Vandervelde b 3-20-1894 in Brandon,Wisconsin.
1010 Amy Janet Vandervelde b 4- 9-1896 in Brandon,Wis.
m 8-7-1926 in Brandon,Wis. CLARENCE GUSTAV ABENDROTH b 11-26-1897 in Cambria,Wis.
children:

10012 Robert Van Abendroth b 1-15-1929 in Ft.Atkinson,Wis.
m 6-13-1953 in Wauwatosa, ELIZABETH MARIE SCHMITTER b 11-25-1930 in Wauwatosa,Wis.
children:

100,014 Thomas Warren Abendroth b 5-8-1959 in Wauwatosa,Wisconsin.

10013 Jean Marie Abendroth b 6-18-1937; d 10-21-1948 in Sheboygan,Wis.

108 Thomas Vandervelde b 9-16-1864 in Town Eight,Wis.d 7-4-1935 in Big Stone City,S.D.
m 7-27-1899 in Big Stone City, CORA PORTER b 12-15-1881 in Kirkhaven,Minn.
d 2- 6-1954 in Big Stone City.
children:

1011 Celim Marten Vandervelde b 5-19-1901 in Big Stone City,S.D.
m 7-27-1924 in Armour,S.D. HILDA ALICE MAMBECK b 7-9-1902 in Armour,S.D.
children:

10014 Alice Mae Vandervelde b 4-24-1926 in Brookings,S.D.
m 3-9-1949 in Winona,Minn. RICHARD J. HARRINGTON b 10-9-1926 in Winona.
children:

100,015 Jeffry Lincoln Harrington b 12-11-1950 in Winona,Minn.
100,016 Ann Louise Harrington b 1-11-1955 in Winona,Minn.

10015 Vance Duane Vandervelde b 5-4-1929 in Chamberlain,S.D.
m 9-11-1950 in Mitchell,S.D.ISABEL REICHERT b 9-11-1930 in Ethan,S.D.
children:

100,017 Marten Allen Vandervelde b 8-16-1951 in Brookings,S.D.
100,018 Steven Bennett Vandervelde b 11-20-1952 in Brookings,S.D.
100,019 Rose Cathryn Vandervelde b 5-15-1954 in Brookings,S.D.
100,020 Paul David Vandervelde b 6-25-1956 in Aiken,S.C.
100,021 John Edward Vandervelde b 6-11-1957 in Aiken,S.C.
100,022 Gregory Frank Vandervelde b 3- 5-1960 in Aiken,S.C.

10016 Thomas Vandervelde b 10-11-1936 in Chamberlain,S.D.

1012 Gladys Vandervelde b 3-8-1903 in Big Stone City,S.D.
m 10-15-1924 in Big Stone City HAROLD J. DIMBERG b 6-8-1898 in Clinton,Minn.
children:

10017 Harold Russell Dimberg b 4-22-1926 in Graceville,Minn.
m 9- -1951 in BARBARA BOMBECK b - - in
divorced
m2nd 10-4-1953 in Clearwater,Minn. ELLEN MILDRED ROTHMANN b 4- 10-1929 in St.Cloud,Minn.
children:

100,023 Harold Russell Dimberg III b 6-25-1954 in Ortonville,Minn.

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10018 Amarillys May Dimberg b 4-18-1929 in Graceville,Minn.
d 12-25-1934 in Big Stone City,S.D.

10019 Joseph Van Dimberg b 7-10-1937 in Ortonville,Minn.

1013 Clara Vandervelde b 1-3-1906 in Big Stone City,S.D.
m 7-25-1940 in St.Paul,Minn. ELIAS EARL SALMEN b 11-5-1898 in Lushton,Neb.
children: none

109 Susanna Vandervelde b 9-18-1867 in Alto,Wis. d 4-17-1946 in Waupun,Wis.
m 9-6-1929 in Waupun,Wis. JOHN S. BEYERS b - - in
children: none d 10-10-1934 in Waupun,Wis.

110 Infant b - - in Alto,Wis. died in infancy.
111 Jacob Vandervelde b - - in Alto,Wis. died at about 8 months.
112 Katrina Vandervelde b 3-26-1874 in Alto,Wis.d 5-29-1915 in Brandon,Wis.
113 Jacob Vandervelde b 4- 3-1877 in Brandon,Wis.d 3-22-1957 in Waupun,Wis.
114 Cornelius (Conrad) Vandervelde b 12-9-1879 in Brandon,Wis.
m 9-6-1909 in Chanute,Kansas. KATE AMELIA CROSS b 1-27-1879 in De Soto,Kan.
children:

1014 Cornelia Vandervelde b 11-17-1912 in Emporia,Kansas.
m 6-20-1937 in Emporia,Kansas JAMES ELDON FIELDS b 8-20-1912 in McPherson,K.
children:

10020 James Marten Fields b 10-28-1942 in Chicago,Ill.
10021 Carol Ozeta Fields b 11-13-1947 in Lawrence,Kansas.

1015 Benjamin Stoddert Vandervelde b 12-18-1914 in Emporia,Kansas.
m 6-20-1937 in Emporia,Kansas FRANCES MURIEL ONSTAD b 12-27-1914 in
children: Cumberland,Wis.

10022 Richard Allan Vandervelde b 10-31-1938 in Waxahachie,Texas.
10023 David Arthur Vandervelde b 3-11-1942 in Salina,Kansas.

115 Bartholomew (Bert) Vandervelde b 4-27-1885 in Brandon,Wis.
d 10-23-1948 in Milwaukee,Wis.
m 8-31-1909 in Ripon,Wis. AIMEE LAURA KELLOGG b 2-8-1884 in Ripon,Wis.
children: d 1-8-1959 in Milwaukee,Wis.

1016 Cuthbert Kellogg Vandervelde b 5-24-1914 in Spokane,Washington.
m 11-25-1939 in Racine,Wis. EVALYN CECILIA ROBERTS b 4-30-1916 in Spokane.
children:

10024 John Kendrick Vandervelde b 1-23-1943 in Milwaukee,Wisconsin.
10025 Ann Elizabeth Vandervelde b 8-21-1946 in Milwaukee,Wisconsin.
10026 Dirk Andrew Vandervelde b 6-16-1950 in Milwaukee,Wisconsin.
10027 Laura Jean Vandervelde b 5- 7-1959 in Milwaukee,Wisconsin.

1017 Lawrence Marten Vandervelde b 6-22-1919 in Milwaukee,Wisconsin.
m 8-9-1943 in Ripon,Wisconsin NANCY DREW BARBOUR b 11-16-1918 in Janesville,
children: (Wis.

10028 Susan Jane Vandervelde b 5- 6-1946 in Milwaukee,Wiscoonsin.
10029 Peter Bartholomew Vandervelde b 5-18-1949 in Fond du Lac,Wisconsin.
10030 Janika Lynn Vandervelde b 5-26-1955 in Green Lake,Wisconsin.

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14 Wopkje Van Der Velde b 12-27-1834 in Blyja,Ericsland,Netherlands.
d 8-10-1921 in Lindsey,Wis. Bur. in Nasonville Cemetery.
m 12-12-1854 in Milwaukee,Wis. HENRY JOHN MENTINK b 1-26-1829 in Netherlands.
d 7-28-1896 in Milwaukee,Wis.
children:
116 Johanna Alida (Hannah) Mentink b 4-23-1856 in Milwaukee,Wisconsin.
d 4-12-1917 in Huron,S.D. Bur.Nasonville,Wis.
m 12-12-1874 in Milwaukee,Wis. PETER BARTHOLOMEW KETELLE b 7-16-1852 in Mil[illegible].
children: 7 d 7-23-1944 in Nasonville,Wis.
1018 Henry John Ketelle b 8-30-1875; d 5-25-1904 in Milwaukee,Wisconsin.
m 7-14-1898 in Milwaukee,Wis.MARIE (Mollie) MOERDYKE b 5-21-1876 in Zeeland,Mich. m.(later)Henry J.Harmelink)
children: d 1-26-1950 - buried in Chicago,Ill.
10031 Beatrice Winifred Ketelle b 4-16-1899 in Milwaukee,Wisconsin.
d 11-10-1918 in Grand Rapids,Michigan.
10032 Milton Robert Ketelle b 3-10-1903 in Milwaukee,Wisconsin.
m 10-1-1924 in Chicago,Ill.MATHILDA VOS b 4-8-1904 in Chicago,Ill.
children:
100,00X Jay Warren Ketelle b 12-7-1934 in Chicago,Ill.(adopted) *

1019 Hubert Ketelle b 12-13-1876 in Milwaukee,Wisconsin.
m 9-11-1907 in Abilene,Kan. MARY ABERDEEN WEBBER b 11-22-1877 in Clay Center,Nebraska.
children:
10033 Mary Aberdeen Ketelle b 7- 2-1912 in Huron,S.D.
10034 Bruce Hubert Ketelle b 2-26-1914 in Huron,S.D.
m 9-23-1941 in Huron,S.D. MARJORIE MAY HILL b 2-28-1915 in Huron,S.D.
children:
100,024 Janice Lynn Ketelle b 11-18-1943 in Chicago,Ill.
100,025 Martha Jean Ketelle b 12-26-1945 in Oak Ridge,Tenn.
100,026 Richard Hill Ketelle b 7-13-1950 in Oak Ridge,Tenn.

1020 Jacob Martin Ketelle b 9-16-1878; d 6-5-1883 in Milwaukee,Wisconsin.
1021 Anna Mina Ketelle b 3- 8-1880 in Milwaukee,Wisconsin.
1022 James William Ketelle b 12-23-1881; d 2-13-1882 in Milwaukee,Wisconsin.
1023 Jacob Martin Ketelle b 9- 8-1883 in Milwaukee,Wisconsin.
m 2-6-1908 in Nasonville,Wis.EMMA KNOHR b 11-22-1885 in Nasonville,Wis.
children:
10035 Clement Dale Ketelle b 5-6-1911 in Woodville,Wisconsin.

1024 William James Ketelle b 10-19-1885; d 10-15-1887 in Milwaukee,Wis.
1025 Albert Edwin Ketelle b 4- 5-1887; d 7-25-1887 in Milwaukee,Wis.
1026 Harvey Walter Ketelle b 9-15-1888; d 7-23-1889 in Milwaukee,Wis.
1027 Edwin Charles Ketelle b 8-10-1890 in Milwaukee,Wisconsin.
m 6-27-1917 in Omro,Wis. RUTH MILLER b 1-20-1895 in Calumet Co.,Wis.
children:
10036 Marguerite Ketelle 1-3-1919 in Lindsey,Wisconsin.
m 8-28-1957 in Lindsey,Wis,CLYDE A. FULLERTON b 10-18-1911 in Sarcoxi,Mo.
children:
100,027 Florence Ruth Fullerton b 3-19-1959 in Joplin,Mo.

10037 Yvonne Mae Ketelle b 5-16-1922 in Lindsey,Wisconsin.

* See bottom of page 6 for information received after this stencil was cut.

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10038 Muriel Ketelle b 2-26-1924 in Lindsey,Wisconsin.
m 10-9-1948 in Lindsey,Wis. ROBERT W. HANSON b 1-23-1917 in Hayward,Wis.
children:
100,028 Richard Allen Hanson b 7-15-1950 in Missions Farms,Minn.
100,029 James Robert Hanson b 4- 7-1953 in Minneapolis,Minn.
100,030 Delores Charlene Hanson b 11-18-1957 in Minneapolis,Minn,

10039 James Edwin Ketelle b 4-20-1930 in Lindsey,Wisconsin.
m 7-29-1953 in Houston,Texas,SUE DIANE LYBRAND b 12-1-1934 in Van Zandt Co. Texas.
children:
100,031 Vicki Lynne Ketelle b 3-10-1954 in Houston,Texas.
100,032 Douglas Richard Ketelle b 7-25-1955 in Marshfield,Wisconsin.
100,033 Jayne Suzette Ketelle b 3- 7-1958 in Wisconsin Rapids(Mos)Nekoosa
100,034 David James Ketelle b 5-16-1959 in Wisconsin Rapids(Mos) "

1028 Susanna Jennie Ketelle b 4-16-1892 in Milwaukee,Wisconsin.
m 6-30-1915 in Lindsey,Wis. ORA ESTON INGLE b 1-2-1890 in Nasonville,Wis.
children:
10040 Elmer Lawrence Ingle b 6-28-1916 in Lindsey,Wisconsin.
m 6-3-1947 in Marshfield,Wis.LAURA MAE HUSTEDT b 7-3-1923 in Boss Town,Wis.
children:
100,035 Janet Ellen Ingle b 4-22-1951 in Marshfield,Wisconsin.
100,036 Beverly Dawn Ingle b 5- 7-1952 in Marshfield,Wisconsin.
100,037 Terry Lynn Ingle b 10- 4-1955 in Marshfield,Wisconsin.
100,038 David Allen Ingle b 10- 6-1958 in Marshfield,Wisconsin.

10041 Florence Ethelyn Ingle b 1-7-1919 in Lindsey,Wisconsin.
m 5-28-1940 in Wisconsin Rapids HAROLD GEORGE PLANK b 7-14-1913 in Marshfield,Wis.
children:
100,039 Douglas Gene Plank b 6-20-1942 in Wisconsin Rapids,Wis.
100,040 Mary Kay Plank b 10-12-1945 in Marshfield,Wis.

10042 Grace Ingle b 4-30-1921 in Lindsey,Wisconsin.
m 10-7-1946 in Marshfield,Wis.MURRAY CHARLES WIX b 5-3-1920 in Marshfield. divorced 7-25-1949
children:
100,041 Michael Murray Wix b 11-25-1947 in Marshfield,Wisconsin.
100,042 Patrick Allan Wix b 6-25-1949 in Marshfield,Wisconsin.

10043 Helen Jeanette Ingle b 11-30-1923 in Lindsey,Wisconsin.
m 9-9-1947 in Marshfield,Wis. ROBERT HERMAN BILLINGS b 3-21-1921 in Marshfield,Wis.
children: none

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100,00X Jay Warren Ketelle (See bottom of page 5)
m 4-5-1957 in Amarillo,Tex.CAROLYN NELL WHEAT B 6-20-1937 in McCamey,Tex.
children:
M-X1 Donald Jay Ketelle b 2-5-1958 in Rockford,Ill.

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15 Charles Van Der Velde b 5- 7-1836 in Blyja,Province Friesland,Netherlands.
d 10- 7-1916 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 10-15-1859 in Randolph Center,Wis.JOHANNA GOSSINK b 3-15-1841* in Neth.
* See Appendix A, 1870 Census where age is "27". d 11- 5-1922 in David City, Nebraska.
children:
117 Dora Van Der Velde b 5-20-1861 in Randolph Center,Wisconsin.
d 5- 7-1931 in Muscoda,Wisconsin.
m 1-18-1882 in Pulaski Church, Iowa Co.,Wis. CONRAD KRAUS b 8-30-1856 in Musooda,Wis. d 2-28-1939 in Musooda,Wis.
children:
1029 Amelia Kraus b 10-28-1882 in Muscoda,Wis.
m 10-26-1906 in Pulaski Church O. L. PORTER b 9-29-1878 in Muscoda,Wis. d 10-2-1949 in Madison,Wis.
children:
10044 Marcelitte Dorothea Porter b 7-19-1907 in Avoca,Wis.
m 6-26-1928 in Rockford,Ill. CHESTER HOOD b 5-16-1908 in Chicago,Ill.
children:
100,043 Guy Porter Hood b 11-17-1929 in Madison,Wisconsin.
m 6-12-1957 in Milwaukee LYNETTE ELDA HELGESON b 3-12-1915 in Blue Mound,Wisconsin.
children: none,January 1960.

100,044 Richard Lee Hood b 7-13-1931 in Madison,Wisconsin.
m 12-10-1955 in Prairie du Sac MARY JUNE HOLWA Y b 4-19-1935 in Sauk City,Wisconsin.
children: none,January 1960.

100,045 Brent Hood b 10-10-1945 in Madison,Wis.
100,046 Christine Hood b 12- 2-1948 in Madison,Wis.

10045 Adeline Polly Porter b 3-1-1910 in Avoca,Wisconsin.
m 4-24-1948 in Madison,Wis. HERBERT ROY HELMENSTINE b 10-20-1905 in Blue Mound,Wis.
children: none,January 1960.
10046 Jerome Charles Porter b 6-15-1912 in Avoca,Wisconsin.
10047 Joyce Amelia Porter b 12-14-1915 in Avoca,Wisconsin.
m 9-14-1943 in Madison,Wis. GERALD LYNFORD AUSTIN b 6-4-1916 in Bedford, Oregon.
children:
100,047 Linda Lee Austin b 4-23-1947 in Madison,Wisconsin.
100,048 Mark Porter Austin b 6- 3-1948 in Madison,Wisconsin.

1030 Jecina (Come) Joan Kraus b - - in Muscoda,Wisconsin.
m - - in GEORGE PFIESTER b 10-29-1860 in
children: none. divorced d 2-10-1951 in Richland Center Wisconsin.
1030
m 2nd - i- in Muscoda JESSE FRANCIS BREMMER b 1- 5-1870 in Muscoda
d - - in
children:
10048 Theodore Freeman Bremmer b 5-5-1904 in Muscoda,Wisconsin.
m 10-13-1945 in Waukon,Ia. AIDILA STEVENSON b - - in Frankfort,Ind.
children: none.

1031 Martin Carl Kraus b 3-21-1891; d 3-14-1960 in Muscoda,Wisconsin.
m 4-21-1924 in Muscoda,Wis. NELLIE IRENE McCARTNEY b 1-23-1899 in Belgrade,Nebraska.
children:
10049 John Martin Kraus b 10-23-1939 in Richland Center,Wisconsin.

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1032 Sadie Irene Kraus b 7-16-1896 in Muscoda,Wisconsin.
m 4-28-1939 in Dubuque,Iowa. KENNETH GALER b 3-23-1900 in Vernon Center,Minn.
children: none.

118 Jennie Van Der Velde b 10-3-1864 in Randolph Center,Wisconsin.
d 3-13-1887 in

119 Fannie Van Der Velde b 7-26-1877 in Randolph Center,Wisconsin.
d 10-24-1955 in David City,Nebraska.
m 3-10-1886 in JOHN BYKIRK b 2-2-1861 in Buffalo,N.Y.
d 1-8-1937 in David City,Nebraska.
children:

1033 Minnie Bykirk b 2-28-1888 in David City,Nebraska.
m - - in David City,Neb. ALVAH SAMSON b - - in Bridgeport,Neb.
children:

10050 Clyde Samson b - - in
m - - in
children:
100,049 Samson b - - in
100,050 Samson b - - in

10051 Francis Samson b - - in
m - - in
children:
100,051 Samson b - - in
100,052 Samson b - - in

1034 Joe Bykirk b 7-24-1895 in Octavia, Nebraska.
m - - in MARY HEYAK b - - in David City,Neb.
children: none.

1035 Viola Bykirk b 12-19-1897 in David City,Nebraska. d 3-30-1925 in David Cy.
m - - in GEORGE HOMAN b - - in Octavia,Neb.
d - - in
children:

10052 Fern Homan b - - in
m - - in HASCHKE b - - in
children:

10053 Doris Homan b - - in
m - - in LAPACEK b - - in
children:

1036 Ethel Bykirk b 5-6-1903 in David City,Nebraska.
m 2-15-1928 in York,Neb. CARL BARLEAN b 1-7-1906 in Garrison,Neb.
children:

10054 Donald James Barlean b - - in David City,Nebraska.
m - - in DORIS WALTON B 8-7-1937
children:
100,053 Johnnie Carl Barlean b - - in
100,054 Richard James Barlean b - - in
100,055 Susan Kay Barlean b - - in

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120 Sarah (Sadie) Van Der Velde b 4-26-1871 in Randolph Center,Wisconsin.
d 2- 2-1928 in Chicago,Ill.
m 10-3-1894 in FRED BIERWIRTH b - - in
children:

1037 Minerva Haydee Bierwirth b 7-8-1901 in
m 3-1-1919 in EDWARD O. MILLER b - - in
children: divorced

10055 Donald Edward Miller b 10-8-1920 in
m 2-1-1942 in MARIE LUCILE BUCHANAN b - - in
children: divorced

1037 ...
m 2nd 10-6-1923 in ERNEST LEONARD LILJE b - - in
children:

10056 Leonore Lilje b 4-9-1931 in

1038 Chester Herman Bierwirth b 12-26-1905 in
m 10-10-1928 in GLADYS VELDA LARSON b - - in
children: no information.

121 Mary Van Der Velde b 9-27-1873 in Randolph Center,Wisconsin.
d 1- 9-1966 in Chicago,Ill.
m 7-8-1899 in Chicago,Ill. FREDERICK PAULICK b 2-22-1871 in Germany.
children: d 1-21-1930 in Muscoda,Wis.

1039 Madeline Paulick b 8-16-1901 in Evanston,Ill.
m 9-15-1921 in Riverside,Ill. RALPH PHILIP COTE b 8-20-1900 in Chicago,Ill.
children:

10057 Infant b - - in d - - in

10058 Ralph Norman Cote b 6-20-1924 in Chicago,Ill
m 4-19-1947 in Chicago,Ill. RUTHE MARTHA DANIELSON b 9-10-1922 in Chicago.
children:

100,056 Janet Dorothy Cote b 7-28-1949 in Chicago,Illinois.

100,057 Paul Norman Cote b 2-22-1953 in Chicago,Illinois.

10059 Dolores Mae Cote b 12-18-1929 in Chicago,Illinois.
m 2-19-1949 in Chicago,Ill. DICK OWEN b 4-16-1927 in Dayton,Ohio.
children:

100,058 Ray Owen b 4-2-1952 in Chicago,Illinois.

100,059 Glen Owen b 2-4-1955 in Chicago,Illinois.

122 Katie Van Der Velde b 1-15-1875; d 4-20-1875 in Hickman,Nebraska.

123 Jacob C. Velde b 7-10-1877 in Hickman,Nebraska,
m 3-8-1899 in Octavia,Neb. ALTA HAHN b 11-25-1877 in Octavia,Nebraska.
children:

1040 George Lewis Velde b 12-20-1899 in Octavia,Nebraska,
m 12-10-1925 in Grand Island,Neb. BESS TABOR b - - in
children: no information.

1041 Geneva Thelma Velde b 1-24-1904 in Octavia,Nebraska.
m 6-30-1926 in Lincoln,Neb. ROY CHURCHILL b - - in
children:

10060 Roy Churchill,Jr. b 4-12-1931 in San Diego,California.

10061 Janet Lee Churchill b 1-20-1937 in San Diego,California.

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1042 Gladys Arlene Velde b 2-27-1909 in Octavia,Neb.
m 5-1-1932 in Wilbur,Nebraska ROSS ALLEN b - - in
children: no information.

1043 Vivian Iris Velde b 3-27-1914; d 11-2-1919 in Octavia,Nebraska.

124 Katherine Van Der Velde b 2-15-1880 in Hickman,Nebraska.
m 4-17-1900 in Dwight,Nebraska. JESS W. HOWE b 9-27-1875 in Rising City,Neb.
children:

1044 Glen Howe b 8-5-1902 in David City,Nebraska.
m 5-30-1930 in Grand Island,Neb. IRENE SHAVER b - - in
children:

10062 Norma Jean Howe b 2-3-1933 in David City,Nebraska.
10063 Shirley Mae Howe b 6-17-1935 in David City,Nebraska.
10064 Donald Glen Howe b 6-20-1939 in David City,Nebraska.
10065 James Lee Howe b 1-19-1943 in David City,Nebraska.

1045 Dale Howe b 1-10-1907 in David City,Nebraska.
m 5-26-1930 in Omaha,Nebraska LOIS FOSTER b - in Garrison,Nebraska.
children:

10066 Jo Ann Howe b 6- 8-1933 in David City,Nebraska.
10067 David Reed Howe b 7-14-1937 in David City,Nebraska,
10068 Jerome J. Howe b 4-14-1941 in David City,Nebraska.

125 Millie Van Der Velde b 1-6-1884 in Hickman,Nebraska.
m 2-15-1905 in JOHN CALVIN CLOSE b 2-17-1876 in Akron,Ohio.
d 4-14-1942 in Norfolk,Neb.
children:

1046 Ralph Close b 1-28-1906 in Octavia,Nebraska.
m 2-15-1930 in Chicago,Illinois.SARAH LEE SMITH b 4-8-1908 in
children:

10069 Sam Close b 8-12- in Chicago,Illinois.

1047 Goldie Close b 9-28-1906 in Millerton,Nebraska.
m 10-16-1932 in FREDERICK H. CLANTON b 4-5-1906 in
children: no information

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16 Onna (John) Van Der Velde b 4-19-1839 in Blyja,Province Friesland,Netherlands.
d 3- 7-1899 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m - - in Randolph Center, NETTIE WIKKERING b - - in
children: d - - in
126 Wopkje Van Der Velde b 10-10-1865 in Randolph Center,Wisconsin.
d 6- -1929 in
m - - in JOHN VAN DER WEGE b - - in
children: d - -1920 in Prairie View.
1048 Edward Van Der Wege b 6-4-1883 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 10-4-1906 in Prairie View DELLA HARBERS b 5-18-1887 in
children: d 5-19-1948 in Norton,Kansas.
10070 Oliver Van Der Wege b 9-27-1907 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 5-3-1931 in Hays,Kansas. LOUISE BADENHOOP b 10-17-1908 in Athol,Kansas.
children:
100,060 Carol Beth Van Der Wege b 9-19-1933 in Athol,Kansas.
m 4-20-1954 in St.Charles,Mo. DONALD LLOYD HANNE b 1-31-1932 in
children: St.Charles,Mo.

100,061 Cleo Nadine Van Der Wege b 4-25-1937 in Salina,Kansas.
m 2-23-1956 in Brighton, HARRY WALTER LINSTROM b 1-22-1933 in
children:
M-1 Steven Harry Linstrom b 1-22-1959 in Denver,Colorado.

100,062 Carla Jean Van Der Wege b 2-23-1940 in Denver,Colorado.
100,063 Charles Edward Van Der Wege b 6-19-1943 in Denver,Colorado.

10071 Nettie Dedah Van Der Wege b 9-16-1910; d 4-15-1930 in Prairie View,Kan.
10072 Lyman James Van Der Wege b 12-28-1912 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 1-12-1933 in Norton,Kan. VERA HAVENS b 3-10-1914 in Norton,Kansas.
children:
100,064 Gladys Van Der Wege b 8-12-1934 in Norton,Kansas.
m 12-20-1953 in Norton,Kan.DARRELL WINDER b 5-29-1934 in Waldo,Kansas.
children:
M-2 Christopher Darrell Winder b 7-17-1958; d 8-4-1958 in Redlands,Cal.
M-3 Wendi Kay Winder b 10- 5-1959 in Redlands,California.

100,065 Phyllis Van Der Wege b 12-4-1935 in Norton,Kansas.
m 4-5-1953 in Norton,Kan. DALE VOLGAMORE b - - in
children:
M-4 Michael Leroy Volgamore b 11-20-1953 in Norton,Kansas.
M-5 Philip Eugene Volgamore b 11-20-1954 in Norton,Kansas.
M-6 Dianna Dee Volgamore b 4-10-1956 in Denver,Colorado.

100,066 Russell Van Der Wege b 8-27-1943 in Norton,Kansas.
100,067 Gloria Lee Van Der Wege 12-25-1946 in Norton,Kansas.

10073 Alice Dorothy Van Der Wege b 12-5-1913 in Lime Springs,Iowa.
m 12-25-1931 in Norton,Kan. MARION ANDREW HARPER b 7-19-1908 in Norton,Kan.
children:
100,068 Patricia Ann Harper b 3-23-1934 in Norton,Kansas.
m 8-30-1955 in Norton,Kan, KEITH W. MIELKE b - - in
children:
M-7 Lynne Kene Mielke b 4-2-1959 in Nurenberg,Germany.

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100,069 Karen Kay Harper b 12-2-1939 in Norton,Kansas.
m 11-12-1959 in Boston,Mass.KENDALL D. GISH b - - in Glen Elder,Kan.
children:

10074 Veryl Edward Van Der Wege b 1-4-1916 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 1-23-1936 in Norton,Kansas. FREDA CARVER b 12-14-1918 in Logan,Kansas.
children: none.

10075 Bernice Marie Van Der Wege b 4-15-1918 in Logan,Kansas.
m 6-5-1944 in Salina,Kansas. FRED JOHNSTON b 7-23-1919 in Salina,Kansas.
children:
100,070 Mark Van Der Wege Johnston b 9-22-1946 in Manhattan,Kansas.
100,071 James Frederick Johnston b 6- 7-1953 in Santa Ana, California.

10076 Wendell William Van Der Wege b 4-16-1922 in Logan,Kansas.
m 11-15-1942 in Norton,Kansas.VIOLA LAUGHLIN b 1-29-1924 in Norton,Kansas.
children:
100,072 Joyce Jean Van Der Wege b 1-26-1945 in Wichita Falls,Texas.
100,073 David Wendell Van Der Wege b 8-19-1947 in Colby,Kansas.
100,074 John William Van Der Wege b 3-13-1950 in Colby,Kansas.
100,075 Robert Michael Van Der Wege b 1-26-1955 in Colby,Kansas.

10077 Dale LeRoy Van Der Wege b 6-24-1924 in Logan,Kansas.
m 1-24-1944 in New Elmo,Kansas.EVELYN KOEL b 11-3-1924 in Lenora,Kansas.
children:
100,076 Wava Van Der Wege b 11-15-1944 in Norton,Kansas
100,077 Donna Mae Van Der Wege b 8- 3-1946 in Norton,Kansas.
100,078 Eldon James Van Der Wege b 5- 1-1948 in Norton,Kansas.
100,079 Marcia Lou Van Der Wege b 4-21-1951 in Norton,Kansas
100,080 Marita Kay Van Der Wege b 11-22-1952; d 11-25-1952 in Norton,Kansas
100,081 Steven Lee Van Der Wege b 3-26-1954 in Norton,Kansas.
100,082 Duane Alan Van Der Wege b 1-21-1956 in Colorado Springs,Colorado.
100,083 Eugene Ray Van Der Wege b 9- 9-1957 in Colorado Springs,Colorado.
100,084 Dale Edward Van Der Wege b 9-24-1959 in Colorado Springs,Colorado.

10078 Faye Oleta Van Der Wege b 4-27-1929 in Logan,Kansas.
m 5-31-1947 in Norton,Kansas. ROY LEE COPE b 8-2-1925 in Norton,Kansas.
children: none.

1049 Andrew Van Der Wege b 2-1-1887 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 8-15-1912 in Hill City,Kansas.LUCY VAN DYKE b 7-22-1893 in Prairie View,Kan.
children:

10079 John Van Der Wege b 5-7-1914 in Long Island,Kansas.
m 4-20-1939 in Glade,Kansas. MARJORIE FOX b 12-23-1919 in Logan,Kansas.
children:
100,085 Judeen Glee Van Der Wege b 10-7-1947 in Speed,Kansas.

10080 Viola Van Der Wege b 10-31-1917 in
m 2-5-1943 in Hill City,Kan. DAYTON JONES b 2-23-1912 in Dumar,Kansas.
children:
100,086 Iretta Mae Jones b 12-26-1945 in Hays,Kansas.

10081 Waldean Van Der Wege b 7-26-1919 in Almena,Kansas.

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10082 Dorothy Van Der Wege b 11-20-1921 in Almena,Kansas.
m 6-29-1940 in Smith Center,DUANE MANLEY b 10-15-1914 in Lebanon,Kansas.
children:
100,087 De Meris Manley b 11- 6-1941 in Lebanon,Kansas.
100,088 Gerald Duane Manley b 4-21-1946 in Lebanon,Kansas.

10083 Nettie Van Der Wege b 2-17-1923 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 6-30-1946 in Stockton,Kan.WILLIAM ALLEN b 12-19-1927 in Logan,Kansas.
children: (none reported in 1948)
10084 Virgil Van Der Wege b 12-19-1927 in Logan,Kansas.
10085 Virginia Van Der Wege b 7-31-1933 in Speed,Kansas.

127 John Van Der Velde b 10-27-1867 in Randolph Center,Wisconsin.
d 9-18-1956 in Emporia,Kansas.
m 6-20-1890 in Luctor,Kansas. JENNIE GRIEVING b 2-22-1874 in Drenthe,Neth.
d 1- 1-1940 in Emporia,Kansas.
children:
1050 Otto Van Der Velde b 9-23-1891 in Luctor,Kansas.
m 6-24-1920 in Zeeland,Mich. MARGARET DEN HERDER b 7-22-1893 in Zeeland,Mich.
children:
10086 Joanne Van Der Velde b 3-10-1924 in Detroit,Michigan.
m 12-29-1944 in Lincoln,Neb.JAMES FITCH BROOKS b 11-5-1923 in Portsmouth,O.
children:
100,089 Susan Brooks b 7-17-1946 in Holland,Michigan.
100,090 James Fitch Brooks,Jr. b 4-16-1948 in Holland,Michigan.
100,091 Steven Phillip Brooks b 6-14-1951 in Holland,Michigan.

10087 John Christian Van Der Velde b 9-25-1930 in Grand Rapids,Michigan.
m 12-19-1954 in Orange City,MARILYN E. VELDMAN b 12-19-1930 in Grand Rapids, Michigan.
children:
100,092 Mary Elizabeth Van Der Velde b 8-25-1956 in Ann Arbor,Mich.
100,093 Alison Catherine Van Der Velde b 7- 5-1958 in Berkeley,California.

1051 Guy Henry Vandervelde b 10-9-1895 in Luctor,Kansas.
m 9-11-1923 in Emporia,Kansas.MARIE OLIVER b 2-16-1894 in Emporia,Kansas.
children: none.

1052 Jacob (Jake) Vandervelde b 7-8-1898 in Luctor,Kansas.
m 7-12-1929 in Emporia,Kansas.JOY COVERDILL b 11-26-1903 in Manchester,Kan.
children:
10088 John Jacob Vander Velde b 8-12-1936 in Emporia,Kansas.
10089 Joseph Paul Vander Velde b 12- 3-1945 in Emporia,Kansas.

1053 William Harold Vander Velde b 12-23-1906 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 12-23-1931 in Kansas City,Mo.LUCILE MAUST b 2-4-1907 in Scott City,Kansas.
children:
10090 Gretchen Vander Velde b 2-5-1933 in Boston,Massachusetts.
m 11-23-1957 in Los Angeles,RONALD D. KNIGHT b 3-19-1930 in Great Falls,Mont.
children:

1054 Esther Van Der Velde b 12-13-1911 in Prairie View; d 8-17- 1917 in Emporia, Kansas

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1055 Kenneth Martin Vander Velde b 12-25-1913 in Phillipsburg,Kansas.
m 10-7-1940 in Wauseon,Ohio. JEAN ROTTSCHAEFFER b 7-12-1913 in Madanapalle, India.
children
10091 Mary Vander Velde b 1-18-1942 in Detroit,Michigan.
10092 Kenneth Martin Vander Velde b 11-23-1943 in Detroit,Michigan.

1056 Stanley Leroy Vander Velde b 1-31-1915 in Phillipsburg,Kansas.
m 12-10-1942 in Kansas City,Mo.DORIS PAYNE b 8-16-1923 in Kansas City,Mo.
children:
10093 Julianne Vander Velde b 3- 8-1944 in Detroit,Michigan.
10094 Jay Wesley Vander Velde b 5- 8-1946 in Kansas City,Missouri.
10095 Carolynn Vander Velde b 3-31-1949 in Detroit,Michigan.
10096 Kevin Leroy Vander Velde b 8-16-1950 in Emporia,Kansas.
10097 Matthew Alan Vander Velde b 2-19-1955 in Emporia,Kansas.
10098 Katrina Vander Velde b 10-23-1958 in Emporia,Kansas.

1057 Esther Ruth Vander Velde b 10-20-1917 in Emporia,Kansas.

128 Grace Van Der Velde b 1-10-1870 in Randolph Center,Wisconsin.
d 5-21-1929 in Lake View,South Dakota.
m - - in SAM SEEGRIST b - - in Canada.
d - - in
children:
1058 Jacob (Jake) Seegrist b 7-8-1890 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m - - in Palco,Kansas. LOLA HOLMES b - - in
children:
10099 Sam Seegrist b - - in
m - - in
divorced
children
100,094 daughter born - - in
10099 Sam Seegrist
m 2nd - - in
children:
100,0XX daughter adopted b - - in

1058 Jacob (Jacob) Seegrist
m 2nd - - in ALDA b - - in
children:
10100 Ilene Seegrist b - - in
m - - in HOWARD HAND b - - in
children:
100,095 Hand b - - in
100,096 Hand b - - in

10101 Elmire Seegrist b - - in
m - - in SHERMAN SMITH b - - in
children:
100,097 Smith b - - in
100,098 Smith b - - in
100,099 Smith b - - in

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10102 Carrol Seegrist b - - in
m - - in b - - in
children: divorced
100,100 b - - in
100,101 b - - in
100,102 b - - in

10103 Marjorie Seegrist b - - in
m - - in HUNT b - - in
children:
100,103 Hunt b - - in
100,104 Hunt b - - in
100,005 Hunt b - - in
100,106 Hunt b - - in

1059 Robert Roy Seegrist b 7-6-1892 in Prairie View,Kansas.
d 1-6-1957 in Grand Island,Nebraska.
m 3-11-1923 in Prairie View, MAE CAPSTICK b 5-11-1904 in Prairie View,Kansas.
children:
10104 Vera Mae Seegrist b 8-12-1925 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 12-24-1945 in Phillipsburg, JOHN FOX b 3-11-1922 in Altus,Oklahoma.
children:
100,107 John Robert Fox b 6-27-1947 in Oklahoma City,Oklahoma.
100,108 Sandra Joy Fox b 1-20-1952 in Kansas City,Kansas.
100,109 Timothy Wayne Fox b 8-21-1959 in Oklahoma City,Oklahoma.

10105 Betty Marie Seegrist b 10-14-1926 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 5-26-1945 in Phillipsburg, CLARENCE BURTON MYERS,Sr. b 8-11-1924 in Renny Heights,Kansas.
children:
100,110 Clarence Burton Myers,Jr. b 5-26-1946 in Smith Center,Kansas.
100,111 Ronald Lee Myers b 9- 5-1949 in Smith Center,Kansas.
100,112 Cynthia Lou Myers b 8- 6-1953 in Wichita,Kansas.

1060 Mabel Seegrist b - - in
m - - in CHARLES TINANT b - - in
children:
10106 Tinant b - - in
m - - in b - - in
children:
100,113 Tinant b - - in

10107 Tinant b - - in
m - - in b - - in
children:
100,114 Tinant b - - in

10108 Tinant b - - in
m - - in b - - in
children:
100,115 Tinant b - - in

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1061 Theodore A. Seegrist b 9-18-1900 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 9-24-1924 in Winner,S.D. NELLIE SCHRYVERS b 4-20-1907 in Harrison,S.D.
children:
10109 Theo Lorraine Seegrist b 8-26-1925 in Lake View,South Dakota.
m 7-29-1949 in Washington,D.C. JOHN ANDREW DONOHUE b 4-2-1921 in Westbury. L.I.,N.Y.
children:
100,116 Robert Wayne Donohue b 1-6-1954 in Washington,D.C.

10110 Donald Wayne Seegrist b 4-23-1931 in Valentine,Nebraska.
m 6-20-1959 in Oakland,Cal. RUTH SILGE b 11-4-1935 in San Francisco,Cal.

129 Lizzie Van Der Velde b 10-27-1871 in Greenleafton,Minn.
d 12-12-1942 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 8-21-1891 in Luctor,Kansas. ALBERT BOLAND b 3-28-1860 in Greenleafton,Minn,
d 4- 9-1928 in Prairie View,Kan.
children:
1062 Henry Boland b 4-8-1892 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 8-31-1915 in Prairie View,Kan.LEONA FISHER b 11-28-1892 in Almena,Kansas.
children:
1011X Patsylee Boland b 1-13-1930 in Harlan,Kansas, (adopted)

1063 Jacob (Jake) Boland b 4-1-1896 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 11-20-1917 in Smith Center MAE WHITE b 5-31-1894 in Phillipsburg,Kansas.
children: none.

130 Sarah Van Der Velde b - - ; d - - in Greenleafton,Minn.(infant)
131 Sarah Van Der Velde b 2-21-1875 in Greenleafton,Minn.
d 12-24-1924 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 3-3-1893 in Luctor,Kansas. JACOB DRAAGT b 6-15-1870 in Friesland,Neth.
d - - in
children:
1064 John Dragt b 1-14-1894 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 3-8-1916 in Prairie View,Kan.SAVILLA VAN DE WEGE b 12-7-1894 in Princeton, Nebraska.
children:
10111 Julia Dragt b 5-7-1919 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 12-21-1940 in Norton,Kan. LA VON EHLY b 11-25-1919 in Hayden,N.M.
children: * Roy
10112 Glen/Dragt b 7-22-1921 in Prairie View,Kansas.
* m 9-14-1949 in DORIS ANITA LONG b 4-26-1920 in Arvada,Colo. *
1065 Owen Dragt b 8-15-1905 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 2-7-1927 in VERA ECKHART b 11-10-1907 in Norcatur,Kansas.
children:
10113 Marilyn Dragt b 4-28-1930 in Almena,Kansas.
10114 Max Dragt b 3-26-1932 in Almena,Kansas,
*Glenn
1066 Albert/Dragt b 4-17-1916 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 6-6-1951 in ROSE LaVON SHRIVER b 5-15-1929 in Weskan,Kan. *
132 Hattie Van Der Velde b 1-15-1877 in Greenleafton,Minn.
m 12-15-1897 in Luctor,Kansas. JOHN PRINSEN b 6-15-1868 in Aalten,Netherlands.
d 11-24-1955 in Prairie View,Kan.
children:
1067 Aaron Prinsen b 9-22-1898 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 5-3-1930 in CHRISTINE DULING b 5-3-1902 in Almena,Kansas.
children:
10115 Ann Prinsen b 1-29-1940 in Prairie View,Kansas.
*100,227 Linda Kay Ehly b 5- 7-1947 in McCook,Nebraska to 10111 above.
*100,228Patricia Ann Ehly b 8-23-1951 in McCook,Nebraska to 10111 above.
*100,229 Diana Lynn Dragt b 9-19-1950 in Denver,Colorado to 10112 above.
*10226 Kelli Ann Dragt in Denver,Colorado to 1066 above.
* Information received late and inserted after the stencil had been cut.

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1068 Nettie Prinsen b 1-1-1902 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 12-25-1919 in Prairie View. HERMAN ZWIERS b 12-25-1900 in
children: d 10- 4-1954 in
10116 Gerald Zwiers b 6-29-1925 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 1-3-1945 in LUCILLE LISH b 7-24-1925 in Dodge City,Kansas.
children:
100,11X Bobby Zwiers b 3-27-1950 in (adopted)
100,117 Vickie Zwiers b 3- 2-1954 in
100,118 Tarry Zwiers b 11-11-1956 in

10117 Helen Zwiers b 11-25-1930 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 6-2-1948 in Denver,Colo. JERRY GILORY b 11- 3-1928 in
children:
100,119 Stephen Gerald Gilory b 11-30-1953 in
100,120 Kay Elizabeth Gilory b 4-28-1957 in

1069 Orville Prinsen b 9-22-1906 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 5-22-1929 in Phillipsburg,Kan.LUCILE APENHORST b 8-21-1906 in Prairie View.
children:
10118 John Prinsen b 11-10-1935 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 8-22-1957 in Prairie View,WANDA DE BOER b 5-3-1936 in
children:
100,121 Mark Collin Prinsen b 3- 8-1959 in Phillipsburg,Kansas.

10119 James Prinsen b 1-19-1946 in Prairie View,Kansas.

1070 Cornelia Prinsen b 4-17-1912 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 9-15-1930 in Norton,Kansas. GERALD DIXON b 7-15-1908 in
children:
10120 Dean Dixon b 5-6-1931 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 4-2-1952 in Cal.LEWANDA SHERMAN b - - in
children:
100,122 Deann Dixon b 6-27-1953 in
100,123 Kim Kathleene b 6- 9-1955 in

1071 Wallace Prinsen b 3-16-1916 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 3-5-1939 in Norton,Kansas. HILMA GAZA b 4-19-1921 in Prairie View,Kansas.

133 Jacob Van Der Velde b - - ; d - - in Greenleafton,Minn.(infant)
134 Anna Van Der Velde b 9-12-1880 in Greenleafton,Minnesota.
d 11-20-1904 in Almena,Kansas.
m - -1895 in Luctor,Kansas. BENJAMIN H. BOS b 1- 9- 1876 in Milwaukee,Wis.
children: d 11-23-1941 in San Diego,Cal.
1072 Owen Bos b 7-3-1897 in Cawker City,Kansas.
m 7-14-1920 in Cawker City,Kan. IVA MARGUERITE BOGGS b 4-10-1903 in Cawker
children: City,Kansas.
10121 Onita Louzana Bos b 4-29-1921 in Cawker City,Kansas.
m 4-9-1944 in Hutchinson,Kan. BILLY ELLSWORTH JEMISON b 1-16-1924 in
children: Osborne,Kansas.
100,124 Velma Joyce Jemison b 1- 9-1945 in Beloit,Kansas.
100,125 Venda June Jemison b 6-10-1946 in Osborne,Kansas.
100,126 Billy Ray Jemison b 9-23-1947 in Osborne,Kansas.
100,127 Violet Jean Jemison b 9-15-1953 in Osborne,Kansas.

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10122 Ivan Bernard Bos b 7-27-1922 in Cawker City,Kansas.
m 6-22-1946 in Dispatch,Kan.WANDA MAE HODSON b 7-23-1927 in Osborne,Kansas.
children:
100,128 Rodney Lynn Bos b 3-23-1947 in Osborne,Kansas.
100,129 Linda Vee Bos b 6-24-1950; d 9-21-1951 in Osborne,Kansas.
100,130 Debra Dee Bos b 6- 9-1952 in Osborne,Kansas.
100,131 Robert Owen Bos b 4- 9-1955 in Beloit,Kansas.
100,132 Rhonda Rhea Bos b 7-26-1957 in Beloit,Kansas.

10123 Joyce Ann Bos b 11-16-1923 in Downs,Kansas.
m 2-4-1941 in Beloit,Kansas. CORNELIUS DONALD WICHERS b 2-26-1913 in Beloit, Kansas.
children:
100,133 Doris Kay Wickers b 9-3-1941 in Beloit,Kansas.
100,134 Delores Faye Wickers b 1-4-1944 in Beloit,Kansas.

10124 Harley Everett Bos b 12-4-1927 in Downs,Kansas.
m 9-16-1948 in Lincoln,Neb. NEVA ELMIRA SWANK b 1-2-1928 in Cedar,Kansas.
children:
100,1XX David Randel Palmer b 9-29-1946 (step-son of 10124)
100,135 Diana Kay Bos b 8-28-1948 in Beloit,Kansas.
100,136 Paula Ann Bos b 10-8-1949 in Beloit,Kansas.
100,137 Dennis Eugene Bos b 10-29-1950 in Beloit,Kansas.

10125 Duane Owen Bos b 2-4-1935 in Downs,Kansas.
m 9-24-1956 in Dispatch,Kan. BETTY LEE MARSH b 8-6-1939 in Smith Center,Kan.
children:
100,138 Duane Lee Bos b 5- 1-1957 in Beloit,Kansas.
100,139 Toni Marie Bos b 8-15-1958 in Osborne,Kansas.

1073 Bertha Johanna Bos b 10-14-1901 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 6-15-1931 in Norton,Kansas. FRANKLIN VERNE BOSE b 12-18-1901 in Emerald,Neb.
children:
10126 Rosalie Bose b 2-13-1934 in Santa Ana,California,
m 7-16-1949 in Yuma,Ariz. RAYMOND CLINTON MILLS b 3-13-1929 in Gray,Okla.
children:

10127 Jack Theodore Bose b 3-17-1938 in Santa Ana,California,

135 Jacob Van Der Velde b 3-23-1883 in Holland,Neb. d 9-10-1886 in Luctor,Kansas.
136 Mary Van Der Velde b 2- 1-1885 in Luctor,Kan. d 3-15-1885 in Luctor,Kansas
137 Klaas Van Der Velde b - - in Luctor,Kan.
m - - in GERTIE VAN DIEST b - - in
children: none.

17 Mary Van Der Velde b 10-21-1840 in Blyja,Province Friesland,Netherlands.
m - - * in JOHN REINERDINK b 7-4-1840 in Netherlands
children: none d 4-4-1898 in Prairie View,Kan.
* Probably married before June 24,1860, the day the census was taken in Milwaukee County. Mary's name not included. See Appendix A.

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18 Sarah Van Der Velde b 10-11-1842 in Blyja,Prov.Friesland,Netherlands.
d 10-12-1926 in Randolph,Wisconsin.(bur.Friesland)
m 6-10-1861 in Milwaukee County TJESSE DOUWE TILLEMA b 3-12-1838 in Hiaure,Neth.
children: d 4-20-1926 in Randolph,Wis.
138 Kate Tillema b 9-27-1862 in Randolph Center,Wisconsin.(name changed to
d 5-25-1917 in Friesland,Wisconsin. (Friesland about 1912)
m 4-18-1889 in Randolph CenterWATSE HAIMA b 9-10-1858 in Netherlands.
children: d 3-22-1936 in Friesland,Wis.
1074 Sarah Haima b 2-12-1890 in Randolph Center,Wisconsin.
m 9-24-1908 in Randolph Center ANDREW DE YOUNG b 3-18-1885 in Netherlands.
children: d 6-13-1954 in Friesland,Wis.
10128 Norman De Young b 12-1-1909 in Randolph Center,Wisconsin.
m 12-21-1932 in Friesland DORIS PRIES b 10-30-1909 in Ashland,Wisconsin.
children:
100,1XX Richard by her first husband.
10129 Walter De Young b 6-27-1912 in Friesland,Wisconsin.
m 10-2-1935 in Friesland DOROTHY DYKSTRA b 3-20-1914 in Friesland,Wis.
children:
100,140 Sharon Marie De Young b 11-14-1936 in Friesland,Wisconsin.
m 12-19-1954 in Friesland CHARLES DYKSTRA b 1-9-1935 in
children:
M-8 Kim Diane Dykstra b 4-10-1956 in Ft.Knox,Kentucky.
M-9 Julie Ann Dykstra b 7-20-1958 in Madison,Wisconsin.
M-10 Linda Sue Dykstra b 11- 3-1959 in Beaver Dam,Wisconsin.
100,141 June Carol De Young b 1-11-1938 in Friesland,Wisconsin.
100,142 Donna Mae De Young b 9- 7-1941 in Friesland,Wisconsin.
100,143 Mark Walter De Young b 10-12-1948 in Friesland,Wisconsin.

10130 Meinard De Young b 9-20-1914 in Friesland,Wisconsin.
m 6-29-1940 in Waupun,Wis.BERTHA HARNESS b 7-5-1919 in Eagle Corners,Wis.
children:
100,144 Janice Kay De Young b 7-19-1943 in Friesland,Wisconsin.

10131 Kathryn Louise De Young b 4-29-1923 in Friesland,Wisconsin.
m 1-18-1947 in Milwaukee JOSEPH A. WATTERS b 7-16-1916 in Tuscola,Ill.
children:
100,145 James Andrew Watters b 10- 1-1948 in Friesland,Wisconsin.
100,146 Denise Ellen Watters b 5-17-1952 in Friesland,Wisconsin.
100,147 Steven Michael Watters b 8-28-1955 in Friesland,Wisconsin.
100,148 Mary Lynn Watters b 12- 8-1959 in Waupun,Wisconsin.

10132 James De Young b 9-7-1926 in Friesland,Wisconsin.
m 8-8-1952 in Holland,Mich.RUTH KOEPPE b 2-20-1931 in Shanghai,China.
children:
100,149 Steven James De Young b 5-16-1953 in St.Pail,Minnesota.
100,150 Dirk Andrew De Young b 12-29-1957 in Waupun,Wisconsin.
T100,151 Paul Edwin De Young b 11-24-1959 in Waupun,Wisconsin.
T100,152 Patricia Ruth De Young b 11-24-1959 in Waupun,Wisconsin.

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1075 Della Haima b 12-20-1892 in Randolph Center,Wisconsin.
m 9-17-1912 in Randolph Center SAM STERK b 6-20-1890 in the Netherlands.
children:

10133 Katie Sterk b b 3-10-1914 in Friesland,Wisconsin.
m 6-16-1936 in Friesland,Wis. JOHN LEVEY b 5-24-1896 in Randolph Center,Wis.
children:

100,153 Della Winifred Levey b 3-21-1937 in Friesland,Wisconsin.
m 2-8-1957 in Friesland, FRED DARTT b 9-15-1935 in Columbus,Wisconsin.
children:

M-11 Tammy Kay Dartt b 8- 8-1957 in Columbus,Wis.(Madison Hospital)
M-12 Pamela Sue Dartt b 11-29-1958 in Columbus,Wis.(Madison Hospital)

100,154 William John Levey b 10-12-1938 in Friesland,Wisconsin.
100,155 Stuart James Levey b 5-22-1941 in Friesland,Wisconsin.
100,156 Larry Watson Levey b 2-24-1950 in Friesland,Wisconsin.

10134 Jacob Sam Sterk b 6-19-1918 in Friesland,Wisconsin.
m 1-24-1939 in Friesland,Wis.JEANETTE VANDER VELDE b 7-1-1919 in Friesland, Wis.
children:

100,157 Duane Stanley Sterk b 6-8-1939; d 5-11-1940 in Friesland,Wis.
100,158 Phyllis Carol Sterk b 6-8-1943 in Beaverdam (Horicon),Wisconsin.
T100,159 Dawn Rochelle Sterk b 2-29-1948 in Green Bay (De Pere)Wisconsin.
T100,160 Dean Randall Sterk b 2-29-1948 in Green Bay (De Pere)Wisconsin.
100,161 Kevin Dale Sterk b 6-22-1954 in Green Bay (De Pere)Wisconsin.

10135 Watson Sterk b 3-1-1921 in Friesland,Wisconsin.
m 6-7-1947 in Waupun,Wis. MAESEL WESTRA b 4-15-1923 in Friesland,Wis.
children:

100,162 Stanley John Sterk b 9-15-1948 in Oshkosh,Wisconsin.
100,163 Nancy Adell Sterk b 7-13-1950 in Beaver Dam,Wisconsin.
100,164 Helen Mae Sterk b 7-19-1952 in Waupun,Wisconsin.
100,165 Karen Jean Sterk b 12-12-1954 in Waupun,Wisconsin.
100,166 Joel Watson Sterk b 8- 3-1958 in Waupun,Wisconsin.

10136 Franklin Sterk b 10-21-1924 in Friesland,Wisconsin.
m 5-19-'53 in Grand Rapids, LOIS HENDRICKSON b 11-23-1930 in Grand Rapids, Mich.
children:

100,167 Steven Craig Sterk b 8-17-1955 in Grand Rapids,Michigan.
T100,168 David John Sterk b 3-19-1958 in Grand Rapids,Michigan.
T100,169 Douglas Jay Sterk b 3-19-1958 in Grand Rapids,Michigan.

10137 Sara Ann Sterk b 3-12-1930 in Friesland,Wisconsin.
m 9-22-1954 in Friesland,Wis.RHYNOLD SOMMERS b 8-23-1926 in Friesland,Wis.
children: none.

10138 Courtney John Sterk b 1-9-1935 in Friesland,Wisconsin.
m 5-24-1957 in Chicago,Ill. FLORENCE JEAN ETTEMA b 7-31-1934 in Chicago,Ill.
children:

100,170 Rory Jon Sterk b 2-13-1959 in Madison (Sun Prairie),Wisconsin.

1076 Mamie Haima b 11-2-1895; d 6-19-1897 in Randolph Center,Wisconsin.

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1077 John Haima b 4-25-1898 in Randolph Center,Wisconsin.
m 11-30-1922 in Waupun,Wis. HENRIETTA VAN PUTTEN 4 4-18-1900 in Waupun,Wis.
children: d 1- 8-1938 in Waupun,Wis.
10139 Walter Haima b 5-9-1925 in Waupun,Wisconsin.
m 9-21-1946 in Waupun,Wis. DONNA ZIEBELL b 7-22-1929 in Waupaca,Wisconsin.
children:
100,171 Russell Jay Haima b 1-21-1948 in Beaver Dam,Wisconsin.

10140 Gerrit Glen Haima b 6-18-1931 in Waupun,Wisconsin.
m 9-5-1952 in Fox Lake,Wis. ARDITH ANN DOBRATZ b 9-17-1934 in Fox Lake,Wis.
children:
100,172 Kathleen Ann Haima b 4- 5-1953 in Waupun,Wisconsin.
100,173 Susan Kay Haima b 9-29-1955 in Waupun,Wisconsin.

10141 Henry Nelson Haima b 7-18-1936 in Waupun,Wisconsin.
m 8-29-1959 in Fox Lake,Wis BRIDGET ANN HUGHES b 10-31-1940 in Fox Lake,Wis.
children:

1077 John Haima
m 2nd 6-18-1946 in Waupun,Wis.(Mrs.)LUCY Pearsall MARITSKEE b 1-15-1889 in
children: none Barron Co.; d 4-26-1950 in Waupun,Wis.

139 Sam Tillema b 11-22-1864 in Randolph Center; d 3-28-1951 in Randolph,Wis.
m 12-3-1889 in Randolph Center, SYKE CUPERY b 12-27-1870 in Blija, ,Netherlands.
children:
1078 Annie Tillema b 10-8-1890 in Randolph Center,Wisconsin.
m 9-10-1908 in Randolph Center JOHN STERK b 1-22-1885 in Reitsum,Netherlands.
children:
10142 Sadie Sterk b 3-28-1909 in Randolph Center,Wisconsin.
m 3-8-1929 in Waukegan,Ill. WILLIAM KOPPLEMANN b 2-15-1910 in Randolph,Wis.
children:
100,174 James William Koppleman b 4-19-1935; d 4-19-1935 in Randolph,Wis.
100,175 James Anthony Koppleman b 1-20-1938 in Randolph,Wisconsin.

10143 Jacob Cornelius Sterk b 3-17-1912; d 2-13-1916 in Friesland,Wisconsin.
10144 Florence Sterk b 10-2-1915 in Friesland,Wisconsin.
m 9-27-1934 in Randolph,Wis.NORMAN BERNDT b 9-8-1912 in Marquette Co.,Wis.
children:
100,176 Alvin John Berndt b 12-30-1940 in Waupun,Wisconsin.
100,177 Beverly Ann Berndt b 3-11-1944 in Waupun,Wisconsin.
100,178 Robert Wayne Berndt b 7-28-1954 in Waupun,Wisconsin.

10145 Chester Samuel Sterk b 3-27-1920; d 6-20-1951 in Randolph,Wisconsin.
m 3-3-1941 in Randolph,Wis. GERTRUDE MINNEMA b 8-3-1923 in Fox Lake,Wis.
children:
100,179 James Francis Sterk b 6-24-1942 in Randolph,Wisconsin,
100,180 Rosann Gail Sterk b 5-27-1944 in Randolph,Wisconsin.

10146 Anthony John Sterk b3-13-1930; d 10-15-1936 in Randolph,Wisconsin.

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1079 Sarah Tillema b 12-22-1891 in Randolph Center,Wisconsin.
m 9-19-1911 in Milwaukee,Wis. AUGUST LOCK VAN DYKE b 7-16-1880 in Alliston,O.
children: d 10- 4-1958 in Randolph,
10147 Viola Van Dyke b 6-24-1912 in Edminston,N.B.
d 11-22-1919 in Minette,Alabama.
10148 Gerald Maurice Van Dyke b 7-4-1922 in Bay Minette,Alabama.
m 7-16-1949 in Randolph,Wis.MELROSE CAROLINE ALDERDEN b 10-28-1925 in
children: Randolph,Wisconsin.
100,181 Lois Ann Van Dyke b 4-19-1953 in Randolph,Wisconsin.
100,182 Nola Rae Van Dyke b 4-18-1955 in Randolph,Wisconsin.

10149 Ronald Chesney Van Dyke b 1-8- 1929 in Randolph,Wisconsin.
m 6-22-1957 in Milwaukee,Wis. SHIRLEY JEAN BERGHOEFER b 8-21- 1930 in Milw.
children: none 6-13-1959.

1080 Nellie Tillema b 5-20-1895 in Randolph Center,Wisconsin.
m 4-18-1918 in Laredo,Montana CLINTON CLARK b 6-20-1894 in Pardeeville,Wis.
children: d - - in
10150 Stewart Gerald Clark b 8-3-1919 in Laredo,Montana.
m 8-20-1942 in Havre,Montana PHYLLIS MARXSON b 8-6- 1924 in Williston,N.D.
children: no information.
10151 Charlotte Lavone Clark b 1-21-1921 in Laredo,Montana.
m 1-27-1943 in Hattiesburg,Miss. CHESTER WATERMAN b 4-26-1921 in Havre,Mont.
children: no information.
10152 Richard Clinton Clark b 1-14-1923 in Laredo,Montana.
m - - in b - - in
children: no information.
10153 Franklin Samuel Clark b 3-17-1924 in Havre,Montana.
m - - in b - - in
children: no information.

1080 Nellie Tillema Clark
m 2nd - - in Havre,Mont.WILLIAM WILLINGS b - - in

1081 Chester Tillema b 3-12-1898; d 10-9-1918 in Randolph,Wisconsin.
1082 John George Tillema b 4-28-1902 in Randolph Center,Wisconsin.
m 8-9-1930 in Markesan,Wis. LORENE YOUNG b 12-11-1905 in Markesan,Wisconsin.
children:
10154 Joan Tillema b 7-2-1931 in Markesan,Wisconsin.
10155 John Mark Tillema b 3-9-1938 in Sheboygan,Wisconsin.

140 Dow Tillema b 2-6-1868 in Randolph Center; d 2-26-1939 in Friesland,Wis.
m 10-24-1894 in Milwaukee,Wis. SARAH VRUINK b 1-8-1864 in Milwaukee Co.,Wis.
children: d 3-6-1901 in Randolph Center,Wis.
1083 Chester D. Tillema b 12-20-1895 in Randolph Center,Wisconsin.
m 12-25-1919 in Milwaukee,Wis.MABEL STELLWAGEN b 5-7-1895 in Egg Harbor,Mich.
children:
10156 Chester Edward Tillema b 7-11-1925 in Milwaukee,Wisconsin.
m 8-31-1945 in Beaver Dam, MARGARET LUCILE KUTCHER b11-26-1924 in Beaver Da.
children:
100,183 Son b 1-21-1947; d 1-21-1947 in Beaver Dam,Wisconsin.
100,184 Susan Jo Tillema b 4-22-1950 in Waukesha,Wisconsin.

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1084 Albert Tillema b 9-18-1899 in Randolph Center,Wisconsin.
m 9-15-1929 in Randolph,Wis. DOROTHY SYTSMA b 1-8-1908 in Chicago,Ill.
children:

10157 Donald Gerald Tillema b 3-28-1931 in Friesland,Wisconsin.
m 9-11-1954 in Milwaukee,Wis. BARBARA ANN DEVEREAUX b 11-11-1935 in Milw.
children:

T100,185 Dean Steven Tillema b 1- 2-1956 in Elkhart,Indiana.
T100,186 Dow Stanley Tillema b 1- 2-1956 in Elkhart,Indiana.
100,187 Douglas Warren Tillema b 10-27-1958 in Milwaukee,Wisconsin.
100,217 Robert Randal Tillema b 1-27-1960 in

10158 Gerald Alfred Tillema b 2-23- 1936 in Friesland,Wisconsin.
m 6-27-1959 in Randolph,Wis.SHARON ANN MOLDENHAUER b 8-8-1940 in Cambria,Wis.
children:

10159 Alfred Tillema b 9-24-1937 in Friesland,Wisconsin.
10160 Arnold Tillema b 1- 6-1941 in Friesland,Wisconsin.

1085 Benjamin Tillema b 2-25-1901; d 10-19-1901 in Randolph Center,Wisconsin.

140 Dow Tillema
m 2nd 9-11-1902 in Prairie View,LENA VAN EGMOND b 9-11-1879 in Amsterdam,Neth.
children: none came to U.S.1887; d 10-13-1924 in Friesland,Wis.

141 Jacob (Jake) Tillema b 1-20-1870 in Randolph Center,Wisconsin.
d 2- 1-1956 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 1-28-1896 in Prairie View,Kan, HANNAH BRETHOWER b 9- 3-1876 in Neb.
children: d 3-20-1929 in Prairie View.

1086 Elizabeth Tillema b 4-9-1897 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 11-30-1916 in Prairie View, HERMAN ALFRED WOLTERS b 3-24-1893 in Mich.
children: (Holland)

10161 Waunetta Elaine Wolters b 11-12-1917 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 2-19-1937 in Prairie View,ROBERT GERRIT SCHEMPER b 8-9-1913 in Prairie
children: View,Kansas.

100,188 Jan Robert Schemper b 2-10-1938 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 6-1-1957 in EILEEN STUTTERHEIM b 10-27-1938 in
children:

M-13 Bradley Jay Schemper b 8-13-1959 in Norton,Kansas.

100,189 Carolyn Schemper b 11-26-1940 in Prairie View,Kansas.
100,190 Gary Wayne Schemper b 2-28-1942 in Prairie View,Kansas,
100,191 Kenneth Lee Schemper b 3-28-1946 in Prairie View,Kansas.
100,192 Douglas Allan Schemper b 5-21-1953 in Prairie View,Kansas.
100,193 Sandra Ann Schemper b 10- 6-1959 in Prairie View,Kansas.

10162 Alden Wolters b 12-18-1920 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 12-18-1947 in MARJORIE ANN KENNY b 12-7-1929 in
children:

100,194 Kayla Marie Wolters b 5-22-1952 in Norton,Kansas.
100,195 Debra Lynn Wolters b 2-20-1955 in " d 2-23-1955 in
100,196 Kelly Alden Wolters b 6- 9-1956 in " Norton,Kan.
100,197 Eldon Wolters b 8-28-1957 in " d 8-29-1957 in
100,198 Vickie Sue Wolters b 8- 4-1959 in " Norton,Kan.

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10163 Hazel Wolters b 2-20-1925 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 11-3-1944 in HAROLD JANSONIUS b 9-4-1922 in
children:
100,199 Rodney Jay Jansonius b 4- 4-1948 in Norton,Kansas
100,200 Lee Wayne Jansonius b 4- 2-1950 in Norton,Kansas.
100,201 Elaine Yvonne Jansonius b 2-12-1953 in Norton,Kansas.

10164 Dolores Johanna Wolters b 12-13-1929 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 7-12-1949 in MELRYN WALCOTT b 5-17-1928 in
children:
100,202 Barry Allan Walcott b 12-27-1951 in St.Louis,Missouri.
100,203 Renee Justine Walcott b 6-29-1954 in Norton,Kansas.
100,204 Kerry Kyle Walcott b 3-23-1957 in Wichita,Kansas.

10165 Marilyn Jane Wolters b 8-21-1931 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 2-20-1952 in TED MYRON ALLEN b 10-5-1931 in Densmore,Kansas.
children:
100,205 Randy Myron Allen b 8-14-1954 in Wichita,Kansas.

10166 Rose Yvonne Wolters b 8-23-1934 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m - - in NORMAN ADRIAN ERICKSON b 2-6-1932 in
children: Long Island,Kan.

1087 Sarah Tillema b 11-15-1899 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 8-4-1921 in Prairie View, HERMAN BOEVE b 9-3-1899 in Firth,Nebraska.
children:
10167 Infant b 9-11-1926; d 9-11-1926 in Prairie View,Kansas.
10168 Maida Boeve b 9-19-1927 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m 4-11-1946 in WARREN NAVIS b 7-16-1923 in Long Island,Kansas,
children:
100,206 Peggy Navis b 4- 7-1949 in Englewood,Colorado.
100,207 Penny Navis b 8-10-1952 in Englewood,Colorado.

10169 Gloria Boeve b 1-8-1933 in Prairie View,Kansas.
m - - in 1952 EARL DUANE BARNGROVER b 2-23-1933 in Almena,Kan.
children:
100,208 Debra Kay Barngrover b 5-14-1955 in Frankfort,Michigan.
100,209 Kevin Kay Barngrover b 8-31-1957 in Ft.Collins,Colorado.

141 Jacob (Jake) Tillema
m 2nd 11-27-1930 in Prairie View, MINNIE KAPPERS b 1-31-1884 in Prairie View.
children: none.

142 Nellie Tillema b 8-3-1872 in Randolph Center,Wisconsin.
d 1-18-1943 in Milwaukee,Wisconsin.
m 6-6-1895 in Milwaukee,Wis. WILLIAM OUWENEEL b 9-10-1871 in Milwaukee,Wis.
children: d 1-30-1959 in Milwaukee,Wis.
1088 William Edwin Ouweneel b 4-11-1897 in Milwaukee,Wisconsin.
m 8-8-1926 in Terre Haute,Ind. BEATRICE LORRAINE BURROWS b 1-20-1902 in
children: Lynn,Mass.
10170 Helen Lucile Ouweneel b 7-1-1928; d 7-3-1923 in Terre Haute,Indiana.

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10171 William Murray Ouweneel b 3-8-1930 in Terre.Haute,Indiana.
m 12-26-1955 in Ferguson,Mo.JOAN EDITH LITTMAN b 6-3-1930 in Astoria,N.Y.
children:

10172 Robert Burrows Ouweneel b 7-16-1932; d 7-16-1932 in Terre Haute,Ind.
10173 Richard Allan Ouweneel b 1-30-1935 in Terre Haute,Indiana.

1089 Chester Loren Ouweneel b 8-30-1899 in Milwaukee,Wisconsin.
d 1-12-1957 in Fort Atkinson,Wisconsin.
m 2-21-1922 in Milwaukee,Wis. IRMA ANTHES b 10-11-1898 in Fort Atkinson,Wis.
children:
10174 Laura Adelyn Ouweneel b 5-21-1924 in Whitehall,Wisconsin.
m 12-23-1944 in Baltimore,Md.CLYDE CRAIG BEANE b 11-29-1922 in Alton,Ill.
children:
100,210 Thomas Craig Beane b 12-2-1946 in Fort Atkinson,Wisconsin.
100,211 Marcia Adelyn Beane b 4-8-1951 in Fort Atkinson,Wisconsin.

10175 Nellie Joanne Ouweneel b 10-8-1927 in Fort Atkinson,Wisconsin.
m 9-12-1953 in Wilmington, WILLS PASSMORE b 8-25-1927 in Wilmington,Del.
children:
100,212 Susan Passmore b 2-17-1955 in Wilmington,Delaware, 2036174
100,213 Judy Passmore b 2- 9-1957 in Wilmington,Delaware.

1090 Sarah Ouweneel b 2-10-1902; d 8-27-1909 in Milwaukee,Wisconsin.
1091 Susanna Harriet Ouweneel b 3-7- 1904 in Milwaukee,Wisconsin.
m 8-6-1930 in Milwaukee,Wis. MARTIN ELI CUPERY b 4-20-1901 in Friesland,Wis.
children:
10176 Willis Eli Cupery b 7-1-1932 in Wilmington,Delaware.
m 8-27-1955 in Rochester,N.Y. SHIRLEY BALLARD b 4-11-1932 in Rochester,N.Y.
children:
100,213 Ruth Cupery b 12-22-1958 in Wilmington,Delaware.

10177 Kenneth Nicholas Cupery b 5-27- 1937 in Wilmington,Delaware.

1092 Samuel Walter Ouweneel b 7-27-1906 in Milwaukee,Wisconsin.
m 11-15-1928 in Milwaukee,Wis.RUTH KRUEGER b 5-2-1902 in Milwaukee,Wisconsin.
children:
10178 Ruth Ouweneel b 5-24-1931 in Milwaukee,Wisconsin.
m - - in JOHN THOMPSON b - - in
children:

1093 Harold Irvin Ouweneel b 7- 4-1914 in Milwaukee,Wisconsin.
m 5-11-1935 in Milwaukee,Wis. IDELLE HERBST b 7-16-1910 in Milwaukee,Wis.
children:
10179 Amory Idelle Ouweneel 8- 2-1936 in Milwaukee,Wisconsin.
10180 Trintje Louise Ouweneel 4-29-1941 in Milwaukee,Wisconsin.
10181 Bruce Kees Ouweneel 5- 4-1945 in Milwaukee,Wisconsin.

1094 Robert Ouweneel b 11-22-1913 in Milwaukee; d 1-11-1959 in Milwaukee,Wis.
m 8-15-1947 in Mrs.FERNE COLGAN (nee Schlacter) b 3-23-1913
children: none. in Massillon,Ohio.

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143 Mary (Mamie) Tillema b 1-24-1876 in Randolph Center; d 3-23-1958 in Randolph,Wisconsin.
m 12-31-1900 in Milwaukee,Wis.JOHN J. SMEDEMA b 4-22-1877 in Netherlands.
children: d 7- 7-1958 in Randolph,Wis.
10XX John Cornelius Smedema b 11-4-1896; adopted 2- -1902;
d 12-25-1959 in Randolph,Wisconsin.
m 6-18-1918 in Randolph,Wis.FRANCES HUIZENGA b 5-1-1900 in Chicago,Ill.
children:
10XXX Beatrice Caroline Smedema b 1-18-1919 in Randolph,Wisconsin.
m 8-26-1952 in Friesland, JOHN W. WIERSMA b 8-8-1913 in Friesland,Wis.
children:
100,XXX Frederick John Wiersma b 3-27-1955 in Columbus Hosp.Wisconsin.
100,XXX Judith Ann Wiersma b 8-31-1958 in Columbus Hosp.Wisconsin.

10XXX Annabelle Elizabeth Smedema b 12-16-1921 in Randolph,Wisconsin.
m 5-7-1948 in Randolph,Wis.JOHN R. DE VRIES b 4-14-1913 in Kalamazoo,Mich,
children:
100,XXX Karen Jay De Vries b 3- 19-1949 in Beaver Dam Hosp. ,Wis.
100,XXX Robert Lynn De Vries b 8-14-1951 in Beaver Dam Hosp.,Wis.
100,XXX James Calvin De Vries b 6-13-1954 in Waupun Hospital,Wisconsin.
100,XXX Mark Douglas De Vries b 3-27-1959 in Waupun Hospital,Wisconsin.
10XXX George Edwin Smedema b 10-29-1923 in Randolph,Wisconsin.
m 12-9-1949 in Randolph, NORMA K.REDEKER b 2-18-1926 in Randolph,Wis.
children:
100,XXX Thomas Gene Smedema b 5-20-1951 in Beaver Dam Hosp.,Wis.
100,XXX Douglas Gordon Smedema b 2-20-1954 in Beaver Dam Hosp.,Wis.
100,XXX Keith Guy Smedema b 4-17-1959 in Waupun Hospital,Wis.

10XXX Benjamin Harold Smedema b 3-6-1924 in Randolph,Wisconsin.
m 1-22-1947 in Waupun,Wis.LOUISE OSINGA b 3-15-1928 in Vesper,Wisconsin.
children:
100,XXX Alyce Faye Smedema b 3- 2-1951 in Beaver Dam Hosp.,Wisconsin.
100,XXX Gene Allen Smedema b 8-20-1952 in Waupun Hospital,Wisconsin.
100,XXX Nancy Lenore Smedema b 5-4-1955 in Waupun Hospital,Wisconsin.

10XXX Curtis Lee Smedema b 12-28-1926 in Randolph,Wisconsin.
m 12-3-1947 in Waupun,Wis.JESSIE JULIA VANDER KOLK b 1-15-1930 in Waupun.
children:
100,XXX Linda Marie Smedema b 5-24-1948 in Beaver Dam Hosp.,Wisconsin.
100,XXX Philip John Smedema b 3- 2-1951 in Beaver Dam Hosp.,Wisconsin.
100,XXX Cynthia Kay Smedema b 7- 8-1954 in Waupun Hospital,Wisconsin.
100,XXX Finzer Faye Smedema b 3-10-1958 in Waupun Hospital,Wisconsin.

1095 Sadie Smedema b 11-20-1901 in Randolph Center,Wisconsin.
m 4-2-1925 in Randolph,Wis. GARRIT SYTSMA b 4-20-1903 in Chicago,Ill.
children: d 1-17-1953 in Denver,Colorado.
10182 Jerome Gordon Sytsma b 5-18-1926 in Randolph,Wisconsin.
m 1-27-1950 in Denver,Colo. MARY VIOLA ROORDA b 12-21- 1926 in Denver,Col
children:
100,214 Sharon Rae Sytsma b 8-12-1951 in Denver,Colorado.
100,215 David Jon Sytsma b 4--28-1954 in Denver,Colorado.
100,216 Marvin Wayne Sytsma b 10- 3-1956 in Denver,Colorado.

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10183 Alice Marguerite Sytsma b 8-20-1928 in Randolph,Wisconsin.
m 2-14-1947 in Denver,Colo. EUGENE DARREL CRITES b 11-22-1920 in Topeka,Kan.
children:
100,218 Jerrie Bea Crites b 2-19-1948 in San Francisco,California.
100,219 Terry Wayne Crites b 6- 8-1950 in San Leandro,California.
100,220 Kerry Lynn Crites b 2-25-1952 in Richmond,California.
100,221 Larry Allen Crites b 5- 4-1957 in Irvington,California.

1096 Chester Smedema b 7-1-1904 in Randolph Center,Wisconsin.
m 6-5-1929 in Randolph,Wis. CATHERINE BENES b 2-7-1906 in Chicago,Illinois.
children:
10184 Gertrude Marie Smedema b 11-2-1930 in Randolph,Wisconsin.
m 3-12-1954 in Randolph,Wis.ARTHUR DE YOUNG b 9-8-1927 in Friesland,Wis.
children:
100,222 Laurie May De Young b 5- 9-1956 in Friesland,Wisconsin.
100,223 Lu Ann Marie De Young b 8-27-1958 in Friesland,Wisconsin.

10185 James Melvin Smedema b 4-6-1932 in Randolph,Wisconsin.
m 8-24-1957 in Friesland,Wis.MARLENE DE YOUNG b 6-16-1937 in Friesland,Wis.
children:
100,224 Gena Kaye Smedema b 6-23-1958 in Madison,Wisconsin.

10186 Ralph Chester Smedema b 3-19-1936 in Randolph,Wisconsin.
m 3-22-1958 in Randolph,Wis.SHIRLEY ANN KOELKER b 10-7-1937 in Rockford,Ill.
children:

T10187 Mary Janice Smedema b 4-10-1942 in Randolph,Wisconsin.
T10188 Mark John Smedema b 4-10-1942 in Randolph,Wisconsin.

1097 Cornelius Smedema b 9-7-1906; d 3-27-1910 in Randolph Center,Wisconsin.
1098 Aletta Smedema b 8-22-1908 in Randolph Center,Wisconsin.
m 9-5-1929 in Randolph,Wis. GEORGE VANDERVELDE b 8-7-1901 in Netherlands.
children:
10189 Marilyn Joy Vandervelde bb 12-28-1932 in Randolph,Wisconsin.
10190 Gordon James Vandervelde b 9-30-1935 in Randolph,Wisconsin.
m 8-17-1956 in Randolph,Wis.WILMA JOYCE WIERSMA b 3-31-1937 in Fox Lake,Wis.
children:
100,225 James Allen Vandervelde b 1-12-1957 in Randolph,Wisconsin.
100,226 Jeffrey Dennis Vandervelde b 4-11-1959 in Randolph,Wisconsin.

10191 Ruth Ann Vandervelde b 6-27-1947 in Randolph,Wisconsin.

1099 Katherine Petronella Smedema b 2-6-1911 in Friesland,Wisconsin.
m 4-20-1935 in Randolph,Wis. CARL BRAAKSMA b 5-17-1905 in the Netherlands.
children:
10192 Anthony John Braaksma b 7- 2-1938 in Columbus,Wisconsin.
10193 Marianne Katherine Braaksma b 7-13-1941 in Columbus,Wisconsin.
10194 Gary Lee Braaksma b 11- 1-1945 in Denver,Colorado.
10195 Dean Allen Braaksma b 9-25-1947 in Denver,Colorado.

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1100 Edwin John Smedema b 3-28-1914 in Randolph,Wisconsin.
m 5-10-1939 in Randolph,Wis. JESSIE MINNEMA b 3-7-1918 in the Netherlands.
children:
10196 Jerrold Franklin Smedema b 5-19-1940 in Randolph,Wisconsin.
10197 Rosalie Marie Smedema b 9-14-1941 in Randolph,Wisconsin.
10198 James Ellis Smedema b 10-11-1946 in Randolph,Wisconsin.
10199 Janis Kay Smedema b 9-14-1952 in Randolph,Wisconsin.

1101 Casper Dow Smedema b 2-28-1917 in Randolph,Wisconsin.
m 9-18-1937 in Denver,Colo. CHRISTINE CHRISTIANSEN b 4-11-1918 in New Sharon,Iowa.
children:
10200 Marietta Christine Smedema b 11-24-1938 in Denver,Colorado.
m 8-22-1959 in Sigourney,Ia. STEVEN ARLINGTON AXMEAR b 12-15-1936 in Oskaloosa,Iowa.
children

T10201 David Lee Smedema b 11-25-1942 in Omaha,Nebraska.
T10202 Deanne Louise Smedema b 11-25-1942 in Omaha,Nebraska.
10203 Marsha Kay Smedema b 6- 9-1945 in Cheyenne,Wyoming.

144 Infant b 8-10-1879; d 8-10-1879 in Randolph Center,Wisconsin.
145 Isaac Tillema b 4- 2-1883; d 6-20-1884 in Randolph Center,Wisconsin.

146 George Tillema b 4-19-1886 in Randolph Center,Wisconsin.
m 3-13-1906 in Minneapolis,Minn. LUCY CAIRNS b 8-15-1885 in Montello,Wisconsin.
children:
1102 Margaret Tillema b 3-24-1907 in Randolph,Wisconsin.
m 11-25-1937 in Sherrill,N.Y. WALTER COLE b 9-27-1909 in Niagara Falls,N.Y.
children:
10204 June Marie Cole b 10-26-1938 in Oneida,N.Y.
10205 Floyd Walter Cole b 6-29-1941 in Oneida,N.Y.
10206 Warren Arthur Cole b 5-22-1950 in Oneida,N.Y.

1103 Jesse Tillema b 6-13-1909 in Cambria,Wisconsin.
m 1-13-1936 in Columbus,Neb. MARY ALICE ROSS b 12-17-1916 in Columbus,Neb.
children:
10207 George Alan Tillema b 12-18-1936 in Rapid City,South Dakota.
10208 Ross Walter Tillema b 3-18-1939 in Columbus,Wisconsin.
10209 Thirza Ann Tillema b 12-10-1940 in Fox Lake,Wisconsin.
10210 Jean Kay Tillema b 10-20-1945 in Juneau,Wisconsin.
10211 Faye Ellen Tillema b 7-30-1951 in Juneau,Wisconsin.

1104 Sarah Tillema b 4-24-1911 in Randolph,Wisconsin.
m 6-22-1931 in Beaver Dam,Wis. SAMUEL NELSON b 9-19-1903 in Hondovi,Wisconsin.
children:
10212 Melba Nelson b 3-29-1932 in Beaver Dam,Wisconsin.
m 6-12-1953 in Oxford,Wis. RONALD RODGERS b 6-6-1926 in Westfield,Wis.
children:
1105 George Earl Tillema b 6-9-1913 in Randolph,Wisconsin.
m 9-22-1945 in Portage,Wis. LILLIAN CHARLOTTE WIESINGER b 3-22-1924 in Ontonagon,Mich.
children:
10213 Charles Earl Tillema b 9-28-1946 in Beaver Dam,Wisconsin.
10214 Norman Ralph Tillema b 1-16-1948 in Beaver Dam,Wisconsin.
10215 Joyce Margaret Tillema b 10-10-1950 in Beaver Dam,Wisconsin.

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1106 Mamie Nellie Tillema b 12-21-1915 in Randolph,Wisconsin.
m 6-6-1953 in Monroe,Wis. ARNOLD MARTY b 10-4-1921 in New Glarus,Wis.
children:
10XXX Jon Patrick Marty b 3-11-1953 in Sapparo,Hokaido,Japan, adopted.
10216 Lucy Ann Marty b 8-31-1956; d 11-26-1957 in New Glarus,Wisconsin.

1107 Donald Tillema b 12-14-1917 in Randolph,Wisconsin.
m 10-3-1942 in Beaver Dam,Wis.JEANNE FANSHAW b 5-5- 1919 in Fox Lake,Wis.
divorced 1946
children:
10217 Diana Frances Tillema b 4-18-1944 in Beaver Dam,Wisconsin.

1107 Donald Tillema
m 2nd 7-15-1947 in Sioux Falls,IONE CHRISTIANSON b 7-11-1920 in Sioux Falls, South Dakota.
children:
10218 Christine Tillema b 11-13-1948 in Sioux Falls,South Dakota.
10219 Scott Tillema b 8- 3-1951 in Sioux Falls,South Dakota.
10220 Susanne Tillema b 3-22-1954 in Sioux Falls,South Dakota.
10221 Katherine Tillema b 8-18-1958 in Sioux Falls,South Dakota.

1108 Ruth Mabel Tillema b 11-19-1925 in Randolph,Wisconsin.
m 3-8-1945 in Waupun,Wis. RICHARD LEE FANSHAW b 6-29-1926 in Waupun,Wis.
children:
10222 Kathleen Marie Fanshaw b 4- 1-1946 in Waupun,Wisconsin.
10223 Keith Richard Fanshaw b 12-25-1947 in Waupun,Wisconsin.
10224 Linda Lou Fanshaw b 9- 8-1951 in Waupun,Wisconsin.
10225 Lee Charles Fanshaw b 11-28-1958 in Waupun,Wisconsin.

19 Kate Van Der Velde b 8- 8-1846 in Blyja,Province Friesland,The Netherlands.
*m 4-18-1865 in Milwaukee Co. ISAAC CAPPON b - - in
d - - in Milwaukee,Wis.

* Marriage license,Vol.2:72, Milwaukee County, spelled the names "Catherine" and "Caapon".

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"Het eene geslacht gaat, en het andere geslacht komt; maar de aarde staat in der eeuwigheid" De Prediker 1:4

"Van alles, wat gehoord is, is het einde van de zaak: Vrees God, en houd Zijne geboden; want dit betaamt allen menschen". De Prediker 12:13

"A generation goes, and another generation comes, but the earth remains for ever". Ecclesiastes 1:4.

"The end of the matter; all has been heard. Fear God, and keep his commandments; for this is the whole duty of man" . Ecclesiastes 12:13.

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Appendix A

Census Listing of Members of the Van Der Velde Family

1860 Census, Milwaukee County, Vol. 3:70.

		(Compiler's comment)
504 Glas Van Der Felde, age 30, farmer, b. Holland		-(Probably Klaas (12)
Ann, wife, age 31, b. Holland		(Antje's date of birth fixed)
Rohke, daughter, age 1, b. Wisconsin		(Wopkje (101)
508 Harten Van Der Felde, age 58, farmer, b. Holland		(should be Saape, b.1802)
Wopke, age 55, wife, b. Holland		(b.1805, see xi)
Onah, age 21, laborer, b. Holland	(This record establishes the year of birth	
Sarah, age 17, b. Holland.	(for these members of the family. Differences	
Kate, age 13, b. Holland.	(in spelling perhaps due to indistinct pro-	
	(nunciation. Harten probably not at home.	
	(Jacob deceased; Wopkje and Charles married)	

1870 Census, Columbia County, p 419;
census taken June 23, 1870.

Chas. Van Der Velde	34	(Charles (15); Dora (117); Jennie (118);
Joan, his wife	27	(Wopkje called Fannie (119); Sarah called
Dore	9	(Sadie, 120). Sadie's birthyear was given to
Jane	6	(me as 1871, but it must have been 1870 to
Wopke	3	(be put in this census.
Sarah	2/12	

Appendix B.

The Number and the Order of Birth of the Children

According to Mary Tillema Smedema (143) thirteen children were born to Saape and Wopkje Dykstra van der Velde in Holland. The names of four of the children, if they were named, and the dates of their birth are not known. The date of birth and the date of death of Jacob (11) who "died at the age of 21 of tuberculosis contracted in the hayfield" are not known.

Jacob is listed first in this compilation altho one tradition states Klaas (12) was the oldest. The unknown dates of birth of the four who presumably died in infancy may be fitted between the established dates of birth of the eight whose birthdays are known. Since Jacob is not listed in the 1860 census with the others it is presumed he had died while the members of the family were living together on the farm at Fox Point, Wisconsin. He may have died as early as 1854, thus placing the date of his birth somewhere between 1834 and 1839.

Mary Tillema Smedema (143) said her "Aunt Kate (19) told her often that she (Aunt Kate) was the 13th child and thrown in for good measure."

Appendix C.

Randolph Center Cemetery Record

The Randolph Center Cemetery records, in the possession of the sexton, Albert Tillema (1077) in 1947, under the heading "berals" (burials!), contain the item,"Valda's wife and child". This, according to those whose memory reached back to the early years, refers to Klaas's first wife and to his second child (102). The date of this is about 1862.

Appendix D.

The Prairie Fire

On Sunday afternoon, October 8, 1871, while Klaas (12) and his wife, Dora, were at church with two of their children, Samuel (103), a mischievous boy of five and their six months old baby, Anna (106), a prairie fire swept over their farm located near Holland, Nebraska. When Wopkje (101),"a girl of twelve years", who had been left at home to care for her two sisters, Mary (104) and Johanna (105) two to four years old, saw the fire coming she started across the fields to her neighbors for help. Probably overcome by smoke she fell to the ground where she was found dead. Her two little sisters, Mary and Johanna, in their fear crawled behind the stove where they too were found dead. The exact date of the fire seems to establish the date of the birth of Wopkje (101) as 1859.

Appendix E.

The Obituary

"Het behaagde den Heere van leven en dood, onze zeer geliefde ouders, door den dood, bijna gelijktidig, naar hunne begeerte, weg te nemen. Onze moeder, WOPKJE VAN DE VELDE, overleed 1 Sept.,1868, in den ouderdom van 63 jaren; en onze vader, S. VAN DE VELDE, ontsliep 11 Sept. 1868, in den ouderdom van 66 jaren. Zij waren beiden geboren in die provincie Vriesland, Ned. - Hoe treffend dit verlies voor ons, hunne kinderen, ook zij, mogen wij door Gods genade echter daarin rusten, dat zij beiden den Heere Jesus mogten lief hebben, dienen en toebehooren? Zij sagen dan ook met vurig verlangen er naar uit om, als er zijn kon, als te zamen, in die rust te gaan, die overblijft voor het volk God.

Uit naam van Kinderen en Behuwdkinderen,
MARTEN VAN DE VELDE

Bethlehem, Wis. 12 Sept., 1868.
(De Bazuin gelieve dit berigt over te nemen)."

Note: A translation of the obituary will be found on page xi.

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* Velde is one form the name van der Velde took.